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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss.

To the Constable of the Town of Chelmsford, in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Town Hall, at Chelmsford Center, on Monday, the fourth day of February, current, being the first Monday of said month, at eight o'clock in the forenoon. The polls will be opened at 8-15 A.M. and closed at 1-15 P.M., and they are then and there to act upon the following Articles, viz:

Article 1 To choose a Moderator

Article 2 To bring in their votes for one Assessor, one School Commissioner, two Trustees of the Adams Library, one Cemetery Commissioner, one Park Commissioner, one Selectman, one Overseer of the Poor, one Sinking Fund Commissioner, and Town Clerk, all for three years; Town Treasurer and Collector of Taxes, three Auditors, one Constable, one Tree Warden, all for one year. Also to vote on the following question: Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this Town? All on one ballot.

Article 3 To choose all other Town officers necessary to be chosen by hand vote, or act in relation thereto.

Artic. 4 To hear reports of Town officers and committees, or act in relation thereto.

Article 5 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray Town charges for the current year.

Article 6. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year; also in such other matters which may arise requiring in their judgement the action of such agent, and to employ counsel therefor.

Article 7 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year.

Article 8 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation, at the prevaling price per light, for twenty three lights in addition to the number previously contracted for and said lights to be distributed upon and along the following public ways, viz:

Three lights on Steadman street, from the junction of Steadman street and Smith Ave., to the Lowell line;

Two lights on Bridge street;

Two lights on Manning place;

One light on the northerly side of R. R. crossing at the Center;

Two lights on Hall Road;

One light at the junction of Billerica street and Lowell street;

Three lights on the Lowell and Westford road;

One light on Boston road near the Adams Library;

One light on Westford street;

Four lights on Dalton road;

One light on High street between Bartlett and Acton streets;

One light at Stevens Corner, North Village;

One light on Acton street near South Village;

or act in relation thereto.

Article 9 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars ($300.) or what other sum to be spent by the State Forester to help defray the expense of erecting a forrest fire observatory on Robin Hill; or act in relation thereto.

Article 10 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriat the sum of seven hundred fifty dollars ($750.) to be paid the North Chelmsford Fire District for

hydrant service for the current year; or act in relation thereto.

Article 11 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seven hundred fifty dollars ($750.) to be paid the Chelmsford Water District for the current year; or act in relation thereto.

Article 12 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty-five dollars ($25.) to purchase a flag for the South Village, said flag to be purchased of the Bureau of Precions; or act in relation thereto.

Article 13 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars ($300.) to purchase an adding machine for use at the high school and other departments of the Town, or act in relation thereto.

Article 14 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of eighteen hundred dollars ($1800.) to build a fire-proof garage for housing the trucks purchased to transport North high pupils to high school at the Center or act in relation thereto.

Article 15 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1000.) for the purpose of buying road binder material to be tarvia or some other product, or act in relation thereto.

Article 16 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars ($100.) for the purchase of land near the north part of the Town to be used for a public dump, or act in relation thereto.

Article 17 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars ($2500.) for the construction of permanent sidewalks, said sum to be distributed as follows: eight hundred dollars ($800.) at the center, eight hundred dollars ($800.) at the north, three hundred dollars ($300.) at the

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west, two hundred dollars ($200) at the south, two hundred dollars at the east and two hundred dollars at the westlands, or act in relation thereto.

Article 18 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars ($2500) or what other sum for the purchase of motor fire apparatus and equipment therefor to be located in the center village, or act in relation thereto.

Article 19 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars ($2500.) or what other sum for the purchase of motor fire apparatus and equipment therefor to be located at the north village, or act in relation thereto.

Article 20 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred fifty dollars ($250.) or what other sum for the reimbursement of St. John's Catholic Church at the North Village for damages to sidewalk at Church property, or act in relation thereto.

Article 21 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of thirty-five dollars ($35.) to purchase a flag for the north village said flag to be purchased of the Bureau of Pricions, or act in relation thereto.

Article 22 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of thirty-five dollars ($35) for repairs of Village Clock at the center village, or act in relation thereto.

Article 23 To see if the Town will accept and allow Woodbine Street as laid out extended and altered by the Selectmen as shown on a plan made by Smith & Brooks C. E., or act in relation thereto.

Article 24 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to use any money from the miscellaneous expense appropriation, for the purpose of insuring any or all of the public buildings, or act in relation thereto.

Article 25 In the event of the above article being rejected, to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to cancel any insurance now

[illegible] meeting for any purpose of the town [illegible] act in relation thereto.

Article [illegible] To see if the Town will vote to accept a deed from [illegible] of a piece of land shown on plan of [illegible] East Chelmsford, for addition to school lot East Village or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant, by posting up attested copies thereof at Post offices in the Center of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, West Chelmsford, and at the School House, East Chelmsford, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting. Hereof fail not, and make return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twelfth day of January in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and eighteen.

D. Pond Ewell
C. H. Hilliard
Jethro Thom
Selectmen of Chelmsford.

I have served the foregoing warrant by posting up true and attested copies of the same at the places and a month not less than seven days before the day of holding said meeting.

Hubert A. Richardson
Constable of Chelmsford

1908

[illegible] of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote at Town Affairs, held pursuant to Warrant at the Town Hall, Chelmsford Village, on the February 9, 1908 at 8 o'clock in the forenoon, the following [illegible] were transacted, viz:

The meeting was called to order and the Warrant read by the Town Clerk, Thos. F. Gibbs.

Under Article 1 to elect a Moderator, Nathaniel Evans was unanimously elected, the check list was then read, and the polls of Office were established by the Town Clerk.

Immediately upon the election and qualification of the Moderator it was voted that in consequence of the delay in finding the Town Reports due to our contractors, and the fact that they will not be ready for distribution until some day this week that the meeting be adjourned for one week to meet at the Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre, at eight o'clock Monday morning, February 17, 1908.

At 8.20 A.M. the meeting was adjourned.

Nathl Evans
Moderator

Edward F. Gibbs
Town Clerk

At an adjourned meeting held at the
Hall, Center Village, Monday, February 11, 1918 at
8 o'clock in the forenoon the following business was
transacted, to wit:
The meeting was called to order by the Moderator.
Under Article 2 relating to the election of town
officers by the official ballot, the following Clerks
and Tellers previously appointed by the Selectmen
were sworn by the Town Clerk.
Ballot Clerks: John P. Scobria, John H. Oral.
Tellers: James J. Savage, James S. Byam,
John F. Parker, George A. McNulty, George S. Elliott.
The ballot box was examined and found to be
empty, the register indicating zero. The ballots
were then delivered to the ballot clerks by the
Town Clerk, he taking their receipt therefor.
The polls were opened at 8-15 A.M. and the
balloting proceeded until 1-15 P.M. when the polls
were closed. The ballots on canvass were
180 and the check lists corresponding
175 ballots were cast by male voters and
5 ballots were cast by female voters.
During the canvass of the ballots the following
business was transacted.
Under Article 3. the following officers were
chosen by nomination from the floor.
Fence Viewers: James H. Stevens, John H. Cogan,
Leonard Spaulding.
Appraisers of Personal Property at Town Farm.
Sinle S. Lee, [illegible], John T. Parker, [illegible].
Weighers of Hay: S. Waldo Parkhurst, Fred Langley,
Henry W. Emerson, Moses A. Queen, [illegible],
John B. Emerson,
Measurers of Wood: S. Waldo Parkhurst, Fred Langley,
Alvin W. Fletcher, Daniel C. Rowden, [illegible],
[illegible], John [illegible], [illegible],
Francis A. Dutton, Jay S. Plummer.

[illegible] R Wilson Dix, Megron A. Queen, [illegible] Jay B Plummer, Stewart Mackay, [illegible] Melvin Walker, Alvin H. Fletcher, [illegible] J. F. [illegible]
Field Drivers: R. Wilson Dix, Thomas [illegible]
E. Hamlin Russell,
Finance Committee John J Monahan, Herbert E. Ellis, James P. Dunigan, William H Shedd, William E. Belleville,
Under Article 4. to hear reports of Town Officers and Committees. The committee appointed to purchase land at North Chelmsford for Cemetery purposes reported, which report was accepted and the committee discharged. The report of the committee on motor fire apparatus was laid upon the table pending action under article 18 of the warrant for this meeting.
[illegible] appointed to build the new High School at the Center reported that all matters had not yet been settled. The report of the committee appointed to purchase trucks for the transportation of High School pupils was accepted and the committee discharged. It was voted that a committee of five be appointed [illegible] to investigate the matter of uniting [illegible] systems now in operation and the two to be taken over [illegible] to report at the next [illegible] The committee as appointed was as follows:
William E. Belleville, C. George Armstrong, James P. Dunigan, William H. Shedd, John J. Monahan.
The town report as printed with the correction of a few typographical errors was accepted.
William E. Belleville and James P. Dunigan were chosen by the Moderator to serve as tellers and were sworn by the Town Clerk.
Under Article 4 the Finance Committee reported the sums necessary in their judgment which as corrected it was voted to raise and appropriate as follows.

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|---|---|
| For Schools | [illegible] |
| Receipts of 1917. | |
| From money already in the Treasury to pay outstanding bills | 46[illegible] |
| Highways | [illegible] |
| Support of Poor | 63[illegible] |
| Water [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Street Lighting | 1560 00 |
| Indigent Soldiers & Sailors | 400 00 |
| Industrial School (Lowell) | 100 [illegible] |
| Expense of Public Buildings | [illegible] |
| Sewer [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Officers & Committees | 600 00 |
| Treasurer's Bond | 220 00 |
| Care & Improvement of Cemeteries | 800 00 |
| Memorial Day | 125 00 |
| Insurance Fund | 500 00 |
| Adams Library | 1200 00 |
| Both Chelmsford Library Association, provided the books are for the free use of all inhabitants of the Town | 800 00 |
| Miscellaneous | [illegible] |
| Village Clock | 30 00 |
| Sealer of Weights & Measures | [illegible] |
| Meat Inspection | 500 00 |
| Cattle Inspection | 100 00 |
| Public Parks | 400 00 |
| Land Damage on Lowell Road | [illegible] |

[illegible] that the Town authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suits or [illegible] during the current year, [illegible] may vary or modify in this statement the action of such agent, [illegible]

[illegible] the Town Treasurer, with [illegible] hereby is [illegible] money from time to time in [illegible] the financial year beginning January 1, 1919, and to issue a note [illegible] one year, any debt or [illegible] this note to be paid from [illegible] said financial year.

[illegible] that the Selectmen be authorized [illegible] the Lowell Electric Light Corporation [illegible] in addition to the lights now [illegible] said lights to be distributed upon and [illegible]

[illegible] Street from the junction [illegible] Street and [illegible] as follows:

[illegible] lights on [illegible] Street;
[illegible] Mansion Street;
[illegible] lights on Hall Road;
[illegible] lights on the Lowell and Westford Road;
[illegible] light on Westford Street;
[illegible] lights on Boston Road;
[illegible] light on High Street between Smith and Nelson Streets,
[illegible] Road at Charles Corner, [illegible] lights;
[illegible] light on Nelson Street near Smith's Bridge.

[illegible] that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars ($300.) to be expended by the State Forester to help defray the expense of erecting a good fire observatory on Town Hill in this Town.

[illegible] that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred seventy-five

($375) to pay for the North [illegible]
hydrant service for the current year.
Under Article 11. Voted that the Town raise and
appropriate the sum of seven hundred fifty
($750.) to be paid the Chelmsford Water District
current year.
Under Article 12. voted that [illegible]
appropriate the sum of twenty five ($25.)
chase a flag for the South Village, said flag
to be purchased of the Bureau of Prisons.
Under Article 13 [illegible] and
appropriate the sum of three hundred
($300.) to purchase an adding machine
use at the high school and other departments
of the Town, to be purchased by the School
Committee.
Under Article 14 Voted that the sum of $18[illegible]
raised and appropriated to build a fence [illegible]
to house school trucks, sand carts, [illegible]
in rear of Princeton St. school on Dracut [illegible]
North Village. The above sum to be expended
under the direction of the School Committee.
Under Article 15 Voted that the Town raise and
appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars
($1000.) for the purpose of buying road binder
material to be tarred on some other [illegible]
Under Article 16 voted that the Town raise and
appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars
for the purchase of land near the Center
Town and also for the purchase of land in
the north part of the Town to be used [illegible]
[illegible]
Under Article 17 relative to the appropriation
money for the construction of permanent [illegible]
the article was dismissed.
Under Article 18 relative to the appropriation
money for motor fire apparatus for the [illegible]
Village the article was dismissed.

[illegible] 19. relative to the appropriation of money [illegible] purchase of motor fire apparatus for the North [illegible]

[illegible] Article 20. voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred fifty dollars ($250.) for the [illegible] cement of St. John's Catholic Church at the North [illegible] to the sidewalk at Church property.

Under Article 21 relative to the appropriation of money for the purchase of a flag for the North Village. the article was dismissed.

Under Article 22. voted to raise and appropriate the sum of thirty-five dollars ($35.) for repairs of Village Clock at the Center Village.

Under Article 23 voted to accept and allow Hardbine Street as laid out, extended and altered by the [illegible] shown on a plan made by Smith & Brooks C.E.

[illegible] Article 24 relating to authorizing the Selectmen [illegible] money from the miscellaneous repairs appropriation for the purpose of insuring any or all the public buildings the article was dismissed.

Article 25. relative to authorizing the Selectmen to cancel any insurance now existing on any [illegible] public buildings the article was dismissed.

Under Article 26 voted that the Town accept a deed from H. Albina Manning of a piece of land [illegible] H. Albina Manning land East Chelmsford, for addition to school lot at East Village.

Following the transaction of the foregoing business the result of the official ballot for town officers under Article 2 of this warrant was declared as follows:

For Town Clerk for three years, Edward J. Robbins 160
For Selectman for three years, D. Frank Small 158
For Overseer of the Poor for three years D. Frank Small 154
For Town Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for one year Orvin H. Swartzer 156
For Assessor for three years James P. Dunigan 145.

[illegible]

Shedd 134, [illegible]

For Constable for one year [illegible]

For School Committee for three years [illegible]

Allen 143.

[illegible]

150, [illegible] Healy Park [illegible]

For Trustee for one year, Walter H. [illegible]

Walter Shepherd 50

For Sinking Fund Commissioner [illegible]

Shedd 146

For Cemetery Commissioner for 3 years [illegible] 146

For Park Commissioner for 3 years, Fred L. [illegible]

Question on licensing the sale of liquor

Lee 11 Yes 153

[illegible] 9 P.M. [illegible] the meeting.

[illegible]

Moderator

Attest: [illegible]

Town Clerk

1918

Town Officers Elected Feb. 11, 1918.

| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Three years Town Clerk | Edward J. Robbins | Feb. 13, 1918 | H. E. Ellis J. P. |
| Three years Selectman | D. Frank Small | Feb. 11, 1918 | Town Clerk |
| Three years Overseer of Poor | D. Frank Small | Feb. 11. 1918 | Town Clerk |
| Treas. & Tax Collector | Ervin H. Sweetser | Feb. 11. 1918 | Town Clerk |
| Three years Assessor | James P. Dunigan | Feb. 11. 1918 | Town Clerk |
| Auditors | Harlan E. Knowlton<br>Albert A. Ludwig<br>Preston L. Piggott | | |
| Town Clerk | Herbert H. Richardson (Elected)<br>James S. Bryant (Appointed) | Feb. 11. 1918 | Town Clerk |
| Three years School Committee | Charles H. Ellis | Feb 11, 1918 | Town Clerk |
| Trustees of Adams Library | Albert H. Davis<br>A. Heady Park | | |
| Tree Warden | Walter H. Merrill | Feb. 15, 1918 | Town Clerk |
| Sinking Fund Commissioner | William H. Shedd | | |
| Cemetery Commissioner | Charles H. Seribner | | |
| Park Commissioner | Fred L. Fletcher | | |

| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified Before whom |
|---|---|---|
| | James H. Stevens | |
| Fence Viewers | John H. Cogger | |
| | Leonard Spaulding | |
| Appraisers of Personal Property at Town Farm | Emile E. Paugnon Jr | |
| | John F. Parker | |
| | Walter Perham | |
| Weighers of Hay | S. Waldo Parkhurst | |
| | Fred Tangley | |
| | Henry H. Emerson | |
| | Myron A. Queen | |
| | Frank E. Bickford | |
| | John B. Emerson | |
| Measurers of Wood | S. Waldo Parkhurst | |
| | Fred Tangley | |
| | Alvin H. Fletcher | |
| | Daniel A. Reardon | |
| | Frank E. Bickford | |
| | Myron A. Queen | |
| | ~~John Marinel Jr.~~ | |
| | Melvin Walker | |
| | Francis P. Dutton | |
| | ~~Jay~~ B. Plummer | |
| | Hosmer H. Sweeter | |

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|---|---|
| | T. Wilson Dix |
| | Jasper A. Lucas |
| | Herbert C. Sweeker |
| | ~~Jay B. Plummer~~ |
| Surveyors | Stewart Mackay |
| of | E. Hamlin Russell |
| Lumber | Melvin Walker |
| | Edwin H. Fletcher |
| | Lincoln A. Dutton |
| | George E. Symmes |
| | J. F. Knight |
| Field | T. Wilson Dix |
| Drivers | Thomas Murphy |
| | E. Hamlin Russell |
| | John J. Monahan |
| Finance | Herbert E. Ellis |
| Committee | James V. Dunigan |
| | William H. Shedd |
| | William E. Belleville |

Officers Appointed by the [illegible]

| Office | Name of Officer | When Qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Town Counsel | Frederick A Fisher | | |
| Supt. of Burials | Walter Perham | | |
| | George F. Cutler | | |
| | Fred H. Edwards | March [illegible] | [illegible] |
| | Bayard L Dean | | |
| Supt. of Burials of Indigent Soldiers + Sailors | Walter Perham | | |
| Agts of Board of Health | Arthur G. Scobora Pre. 1 | | |
| | Fred E. Varney Pre. 2 + 3 | Feb [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Registrar of Voters | Karl M. Perham | | |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | Curtis A Aiken | | |
| Supt. of Town Farm | Arthur Burnham | | |
| Supt. of Moth Work | Walter Shepherd | | |
| Janitors of Pub. Buildings | Patrick S. Hard | | |
| | Curtis A. Aiken | | |
| Game Warden | Charles F. Moree. | | |
| Inspector of Animals | Arnold C. Perham | | |
| Inspector of Slaughtering + Meats | Arnold C Perham (Resigned) | | |
| | William S. Hall (Appointed) | Aug. 20, [illegible] | |
| Engineer of Fire Dept. | Arnold C. Perham | | |

1918

Officers Appointed by Selectmen.

| Office | Name of Officer | When Qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| | George C. [illegible] Jr. | | |
| | [illegible] | | |
| | [illegible] | Feb | 19 1918 H. E. Ellis J.P. |
| | [illegible] | | |
| | Walter H. Wright | | |
| | [illegible] | | |
| | Thomas Brown | | |
| | [illegible] | | |
| | Charles A. [illegible] | | |
| Special Police | [illegible] | | |
| | [illegible] | | |
| | [illegible] | | |
| | Thomas Jones | Feb. 19 | 1918 D. F. Small J.P. |
| | George O. Spaulding | Feb. 25. | 1918 H. E. Ellis J.P. |
| | George Small | Feb. 25. | 1918 H. E. Ellis J.P. |
| | Patrick J. Welsh | Feb 25. | 1918 William Picken J.P. |
| | James H. Bryant | Feb 20. | 1918 J. L. Moore J.P. |
| | [illegible] | Feb 20. | 1918 J. L. Moore J.P. |
| | Ralph H. Emerson | Feb. 20. | 1918 J. L. Moore J.P. |

Sup't of Streets — George H. Pickard

Officers Appointed by the Board

| Office | Name of Officer | When Appointed | Appointed by |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Emma L. Parkhurst | Feb. 19, 1918 | J. L. Moore J. P. |
| | J. H. Richardson | | |
| Weighers of Coal | James F. Dunigan | | |
| | Frank E. Rickford | | |
| | John B. Emerson | | |
| | George H. Pope | Feb. [illegible], 1918 | Wm. Picken N. P. |
| | James H. Lenting | Feb. [illegible], 1918 | Wm. Picken N. P. |
| | George H. Pope | Feb 25, 1918 | Wm. Picken N. P. |
| Weighers of Merchandise | James Long | Apr. 8, 1918 | Walter S. Shaw J. P. |
| | William Brown | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| | James J. Hackett | Feb. 26, 1918 | W. E. Elder J. P. |
| | Emma L. Parkhurst | Feb. 19, 1918 | J. L. Moore J. P. |
| | J. H. Richardson | | |
| Surveyors of Lumber | Pearl T. Durrell | Feb. 27, 1918 | [illegible] J. P. |
| | Wallace C. McDonald | " " " " " " | " |
| | John A. Burton | " " " " " " | " |
| | L. C. Cummings | " " " " " " | " |
| | E. A. Vondal | " " " " " " | " |
| | John Harrison | " " " " " " | " |
| | F. Robinson | " " " " " " | " |
| | J. H. Shaw | " " " " " " | " |
| | H. A. Townsend | " " " " " " | " |
| | Horace H. Sweeten | | |
| Chief Engineer of Fire Dept | Edgar Fay | July 2, 1919 | Town Clerk |

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex ss

To the Constable of the Town of Chelmsford, in said County:
Greeting:
In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre, on Monday, the eleventh day of March 1918, at eight o'clock in the evening, to transact the following business, to wit:

Article 1 To choose a Moderator

Article 2 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Town Accountant pursuant to the provisions of Chap 624 of the Acts of 1910 as amended by Chap 242 of the Acts of 1911, or act in relation thereto.

Article 3 In the event of affirmative action under the preceding article, to see what amount the Town will raise and appropriate for the salary of the Town Accountant, or act in relation thereto.

Article 4 In the event of affirmative action under Article 2 to see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to arrange for the installment of the so called Stelling System of Town Accounting, or act in relation thereto.

Article 5 In the event of affirmative action under Article 2, to see if the Town will vote to abolish the office of Town Auditor, or act in relation thereto

And you are directed to serve this Warrant, by posting up attested copies thereof at Post offices in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, West Chelmsford, and at the School house, East Chelmsford, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding

said meeting.
Hereof fail not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.
Given under our hands this first day of March in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and eighteen.

D. Frank Small
A. Heady Park
Justin L. Moore
Selectmen of Chelmsford

I have served the foregoing Warrant by posting up true and attested copies of the same at the places above mentioned more than seven days before the day of holding said meeting.

Herbert H. Richardson
Constable of Chelmsford

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant at the Town Hall, Center Village, Monday, Evening March 11, 1918 at eight o'clock P. M. the following business was transacted to wit:

The meeting was called to order and the Warrant read by the Town Clerk.

Under Article 1, to choose a Moderator, Walter Perham, was unanimously elected, the check list being used and the oath of office administered by the Town Clerk

Under Article 2 a motion was made that the Selectmen be authorized to appoint a Town Accountant pursuant to the provisions of Chap. 624 of the Acts of 1910 as amended by Chap. 252 of the Acts of 1916. The motion was defeated. 10 voting in the affirmative and 35 in the negative.

Under Article 3. relative to an appropriation for salary of Town Accountant, the article was dismissed.

Under Article 4. relative to the installation of the Letterny System of Town accounting, the article was dismissed.

Under Article 5. relative to abolishing the office of Town auditor, the article was dismissed.

At 9-30, P. M voted to dissolve the meeting.

Walter Perham
Moderator

Edward J. Robbins
Town Clerk

1918

Warden Officers appointed for State Primaries held September 24, 1918 & State Election Nov. 5, 1918

| Office | Warden Officers | Ward | Appointed | Qualified | Appointed by |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Clerk | Howard S. Adams | 1 | Sept. 14 | Sept. 24 | Town Clerk |
| Warden | John P. Scotese | 1 | " | " | " |
| Teller | John A. Pratt | 1 | " | " | " |
| " | John F. Walker | 1 | " | " | " |
| | James B. Byrne | 1 | " | " | " |
| | Garfield A. Dacey | 1 | " | " | |
| | Henry A. Burns | 1 | " | " | " |
| | Sidney E. Hufman | 1 | " | " | " |
| | Arthur E. Sutton | 1 | " | " | " |
| Clerk | Morton B. Wright | 2 | " | | |
| Warden | James B. McQuaid | 2 | | | |
| Teller | Patrick McMahon | 2 | | | |
| " | Henry E. Howard | 2 | | | |
| " | Myron A. Lucas | 2 | | | |
| | George Elliott | 2 | | | |
| Clerk | Lorin J. Ellinwood | 3 | | | |
| Warden | James Savage | 3 | | | |
| Teller | George C. Spaulding | 3 | | | |
| " | Bayard C. Dean | 3 | | | |
| " | Thomas Roche | 3 | | | |
| Clerk | Geo. A. Jameson | 4 | | | |
| Warden | James H. Bowden | 4 | | | |
| Teller | George A. McNulty | 4 | | | |
| | Charles Tennell | 4 | | | |
| | Daniel A. Keardon | 4 | | | |

At a legal meeting held Sept. [illegible] the four precincts of the Town of [illegible] in conformity with the provisions of Chapter [illegible] of Acts of 1911 the following candidates for nomination received the number of votes set opposite their respective [illegible]

| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Governor | Calvin Coolidge | Rep. | [illegible] | [illegible] | 10 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| " | Edward P. Barry | Dem | 2 | [illegible] | 1 | 1 | [illegible] |
| " | William A. Gaston | Dem | [illegible] | [illegible] | 2 | 1 | [illegible] |
| " | Richard H. Long | Dem | [illegible] | [illegible] | 1 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Lieutenant Governor | Channing H. Cox | Rep. | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| " | Guy Andrew Ham | Rep. | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | 2 | [illegible] |
| " | Joseph H. O'Neil | Dem | | [illegible] | [illegible] | 1 | [illegible] |
| Secretary | Albert P. Langtry | Rep. | [illegible] | [illegible] | 11 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| " | Charles H. McGlue | Dem | [illegible] | [illegible] | | | [illegible] |
| Treasurer | Charles L. Burrill | Rep. | [illegible] | | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| " | Frank W. Thayer | Rep. | [illegible] | [illegible] | 1 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| " | Charles Liddine | Dem | [illegible] | 14 | [illegible] | [illegible] | 16 |
| Auditor | Alonzo B. Cook | Rep. | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | 11 | [illegible] |
| " | Alonzo P. Grinnell | Rep. | 16 | [illegible] | 1 | 1 | [illegible] |
| | Francis M. Costello | Dem | [illegible] | 14 | [illegible] | [illegible] | 16 |
| Atty. General | J. Hexton Allen | Rep. | [illegible] | 11 | 1 | 15 | [illegible] |
| " | Henry C. Attwill | Rep. | [illegible] | [illegible] | 10 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| " | Joseph St. Coeur | Dem | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| U. S. Senator | John W. Weeks | Rep. | [illegible] | [illegible] | 11 | 1 | [illegible] |
| " | David I. Walsh | Dem | [illegible] | [illegible] | 1 | 15 | [illegible] |
| Congressman | John Jacob Rogers | Rep. | [illegible] | [illegible] | 11 | 12 | [illegible] |
| Councillor | James [illegible] | Rep. | [illegible] | [illegible] | 11 | 1 | [illegible] |
| Senator | Arthur B. Colburn | Rep. | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| " | Samuel S. Greenwood | Rep. | [illegible] | [illegible] | 5 | 5 | [illegible] |
| " | James V. Dunigan | Dem | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | 6 | [illegible] |
| Representative | James Harry Wilson | Rep. | [illegible] | [illegible] | 11 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| County Commissioner | Alfred L. Cutting | Rep. | 130 | [illegible] | 11 | 10 | [illegible] |
| County Treasurer | Charles Bruce | Rep. | 62 | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| " | Joseph O. Hayden | Rep. | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |

1918

Record of Primary Vote Continued

| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | Pre 1 | Pre 2 | Pre 3 | Pre 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Registrar of Probate | William G. Andrew | Rep | 113 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 58 |
| " | Frederick M. Esty | Rep | [illegible] | 23 | 10 | 4 | 131 |
| Member of State Committee | Arthur F. Salmon | Rep | 121 | 33 | 11 | 10 | [illegible] |
| Delegate | D. Franklin Small | Rep | [illegible] | [illegible] | 11 | 11 | 142 |
| State Convention | Nelson Cotton | Rep | 133 | 33 | 11 | 9 | 186 |
| " | Edward J. Robbins | Rep | 121 | 33 | [illegible] | 10 | 187 |
| " | William B. Northrop | Rep | 124 | 33 | 11 | 9 | 177 |
| " | James H. Donovan | Dem | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| " | James B. McDuade | Dem | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| " | John H. Daley | Dem | | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Town Committee | D. Frank Small | Rep | 129 | 36 | 11 | 11 | 187 |
| " | Herbert C. Sweeter | Rep | 134 | 35 | 11 | 10 | 191 |
| " | Fred L. Fletcher | Rep | 127 | 34 | 11 | 11 | 183 |
| " | Arnold C. Perham | Rep | 131 | 32 | 11 | 10 | 186 |
| " | William B. Northrop | Rep | 121 | 33 | 11 | 9 | 178 |
| " | Franklin E. Johnson | Rep | 12[illegible] | 32 | 11 | 9 | 171 |
| " | Joseph T. Buttery | Rep | 125 | 31 | 11 | 9 | 176 |
| " | John E. Harrington | Dem | 3 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| " | John H. Daley | Dem | 3 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| " | Daniel E. Haley | Dem | 3 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 18 |

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Total No of Votes Cast in each Precinct | Republican | 159 | 27 | 11 | 12 | |
| | Democratic | 10 | 33 | 4 | 7 | |
| | Socialist | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | |
| | Total | 169 | 70 | 15 | 19 | 273 |

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Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Governor and were for the following namely.

| Names of Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Calvin Coolidge of Northampton (R) | 272 | 142 | 21 | 26 | 461 |
| Richard H. Long of Framingham (D) | 72 | 124 | 20 | 27 | 243 |
| Sylvester J. McBride of Watertown (S) | 1 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 11 |
| Ingvar Paulsen of Boston (S.L.) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Blanks | 5 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 14 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

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Town Clerk

1918

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 for the purpose of giving in their votes for " Lieutenant Governor and were for the following persons namely

| Names of Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Channing H. Cox of Boston (R) | 279 | 145 | 24 | 26 | 474 |
| Oscar Kinealac of Springfield (S.L.) | 14 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 21 |
| Joseph H. O'Neil of Boston (D) | 40 | 115 | 18 | 26 | 199 |
| Blanks | 17 | 14 | 3 | 1 | 35 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Secretary of the Commonwealth and were for the following persons namely

| Names of Candidates | | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Albert P. Langtry of Springfield | (R) | 283 | 152 | 24 | 30 | 489 |
| Charles H. McGlue of Lynn | D | 43 | 108 | 16 | 23 | 190 |
| William Taylor of Worcester | (S.L.) | 4 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 11 |
| Blanks | | 20 | 15 | 4 | 0 | 31 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 350 | 279 | 145 | 55 | [illegible] |

Recorded by
Edward J. Robbins

1918

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Treasurer of the Commonwealth and one for the following persons namely

| Names of Candidates | | Pre 1 | Pre 2 | Pre 3 | Pre 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Charles L. Burrill of Boston | (R) | 2[illegible] | 180 | 24 | [illegible] | 481 |
| Charles Giddings of Gt. Barrington | D | 13 | 104 | 17 | 19 | 185 |
| Mary E. Peterson of Somerville | (S.L.) | 2 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 12 |
| Blanks | | 26 | 18 | 3 | 4 | 51 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 330 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

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Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 for the purpose of giving in their votes for an Auditor of the Commonwealth and were for the following persons namely:

| Names of Candidates | | Pre 1 | Pre 2 | Pre 3 | Pre 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alonzo B. Cook of Boston | (R) | 278 | 147 | 23 | 30 | 478 |
| Francis M. Costello of Boston | (D) | 145 | 107 | 17 | 21 | 290 |
| Fred E. Pelcher of Peabody | (S.L.) | 1 | 5 | 1 | [illegible] | 7 |
| Blanks | | 26 | 20 | 4 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Whole number of ballots | | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 728 |

Recorded by
Edward J. Robbins
Town Clerk

1918

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 for the purpose of giving in their votes for an Attorney-General of the Commonwealth and were for the following persons namely:

| Names of Candidates | | Pre. 1 | Pre 2 | Pre 3 | Pre 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Henry C. Attwill of Lynn | (R) | 283 | 151 | 23 | 31 | 488 |
| Morris I. Becker of Chelsea | (S.L.) | 1 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 8 |
| Joseph L. P. St. Coeur of Boston | (D) | 44 | 101 | 17 | 17 | 179 |
| Blanks | | 22 | 23 | 4 | 5 | 54 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
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Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Senator in Congress and sure for the following persons namely

| Names of Candidates | | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Thomas W. Lawson of Scituate | (Ind.) | 19 | 8 | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| David I. Walsh of Fitchburg | (D) | 70 | 140 | 21 | 27 | 258 |
| John H. Weeks of Newton | (R) | 252 | 128 | 19 | 24 | 423 |
| Blanks | | 9 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 15 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
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Town Clerk

1918

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5. 1918 for the purpose of voting in their vote for a Congressman and said for the following persons namely

| Names of Candidates | Pct 1 | Pct 2 | Pct 3 | Pct 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| John Jacob Rogers of Lowell (R) | 321 | 211 | 33 | 45 | 610 |
| Blanks | 29 | 68 | 12 | 10 | 119 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
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Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Councillor for the Sixth Councillor District and were for the following persons namely

| Names of Candidates | Pre 1 | Pre 2 | Pre 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| James G. Harris of Medford (R) | 305 | 176 | 29 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Blank | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Clarke | 45 | 102 | 16 | 23 | 186 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
Edward J. O'Brien
[illegible]

1918

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Senator for the Eighth Middlesex Senatorial District and were for the following persons namely.

| Names of Candidates | | Pct 1 | Pct. 2 | Pct 3 | Pct 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Arthur N. Colburn of Dracut | (R) | 308 | 175 | 30 | 34 | 547 |
| Blanks | | 42 | 103 | 15 | 21 | 181 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
Edward J. Robbins
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Representative in the General Court for Representative District Number Eleven in Middlesex County, and cast for the following persons namely.

| Names of Candidates | | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| James Harry Wilkins of Carlisle | (R) | 301 | 173 | 28 | 31 | 533 |
| Blanks | | 49 | 106 | 17 | 24 | 196 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
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Town Clerk

1918

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 for the purpose of giving in their votes for a County Commissioner for Middlesex County and were for the following persons namely:

| Names of Candidates | Pct. 1 | Pct. 2 | Pct. 3 | Pct. 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alfred L. Cutting of Weston (R) | 292 | 167 | 28 | 34 | 521 |
| Blanks | 58 | 112 | 17 | 21 | 208 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 277 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
Edward J. Robbins
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of [illegible]

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 for the purpose of giving in their votes for a County Treasurer for Middlesex County and were for the following persons namely:

| Names of Candidates | | Pct. 1 | Pct. 2 | Pct. 3 | Pct. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Joseph O. Hayden of Somerville | (R.) | 286 | 169 | 28 | 32 | 515 |
| Blanks | | 64 | 110 | 17 | 23 | 214 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 350 | 279 | 145 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by

[illegible]

Town Clerk

1918

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Shelburne held Nov. 5, 1918 for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Register of Probate and Insolvency for the County of Franklin and vote for the following persons namely

| Names of Candidates | | Pre 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre 3 | Pre 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Frederick M. Esty of Framingham | (R) | 288 | 165 | 28 | 31 | 512 |
| Blanks | | 62 | 114 | 17 | 24 | 217 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
Edward J. Robbins
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 an Article of Amendment relative to Initiative and Referendum submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted upon as follows-

| | Pct. 1 | Pct. 2 | Pct. 3 | Pct. 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | 318 |
| No | 220 | 127 | 21 | [illegible] | 271 |
| Blanks | 53 | 52 | 5 | 10 | 120 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
Edward J. Robbins
Town Clerk

1918

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 an Article of Amendment relative to Natural Resources submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted upon as follows.

| | Pre. 1 | Pre 2 | Pre 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 105 | 107 | 24 | 18 | 254 |
| No | 144 | 78 | 10 | 13 | 245 |
| Blanks | 101 | 94 | 11 | 24 | 230 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
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Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 an Article of Amendment relative to Advertising in Public Place submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted upon as follows

| | Pre 1 | Pre 2 | Pre 3 | Pre 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 123 | 106 | 21 | 19 | 269 |
| No | [illegible] | 50 | 11 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Blanks | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Whole number of ballots | 250 | 279 | 145 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
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Town Clerk

1918

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 an Article of Amendment relative to Property of Historical and Antiquarian Interest submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted upon as follows

| | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 126 | 101 | 20 | 16 | 263 |
| No | 116 | 73 | 9 | 12 | 210 |
| Blanks | 108 | 105 | 16 | 27 | 256 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
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Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 an Article of Amendment relative to Adjournments of General Court submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted upon as follows

| | No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 | No. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 79 | 64 | 10 | 7 | 160 |
| No | 142 | 93 | 16 | 16 | 267 |
| Blanks | 129 | 122 | 19 | 32 | 202 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
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Town Clerk

1918

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 an Article of Amendment relative to Appointment and Removal of Military and Naval Officers submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted upon as follows:

| | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 91 | 76 | 18 | 5 | 190 |
| No | 128 | 85 | 19 | 13 | 236 |
| Blanks | 131 | 118 | 17 | 37 | 303 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 54 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
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Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 — Article [illegible] Amendment relative to Powers and Duties of the General Court Relative to Military and Naval Force submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted upon as follows

| | Pre. 1 | Pre 2 | Pre 3 | Pre 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | 8 | [illegible] |
| No | [illegible] | [illegible] | 11 | 12 | 223 |
| Blanks | 140 | 123 | 19 | 35 | 21 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
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Town Clerk

1918

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 an Article of Amendment relating to Succession in Vacancies of Governor and Lieutenant-Governor submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted upon as follows

| | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 104 | 89 | 18 | 9 | 230 |
| No | 116 | 97 | 6 | 13 | 204 |
| Blanks | 130 | 121 | 21 | 33 | 205 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
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Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 on Article of Amendment relative to Authorizing [illegible] to Return Bills and Resolutions to General Court with Recommendations for Amendment submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted [illegible]

| | No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 | No. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | 11 | [illegible] |
| No | 111 | [illegible] | [illegible] | 11 | [illegible] |
| Blanks | 135 | 135 | 20 | 33 | 223 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
Edward J. Kotlow
Town Clerk

1915

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1915 on Articles of Amendment relative to Women as Voters to be submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted upon as follows

| | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 117 | 86 | 18 | 19 | 240 |
| No | 118 | 93 | 9 | 11 | 231 |
| Blanks | 115 | 100 | 18 | 25 | 258 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
Edward J. Robbins
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 an Article Amendment relative to Retirement of Judicial Officers submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted upon as follows

| | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 85 | 61 | 13 | 10 | 169 |
| No | [illegible] | [illegible] | 11 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Blanks | 139 | 127 | 21 | 32 | 319 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
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Town Clerk

1918

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 an Article of Amendment relative to Revocation of Grants, Etc. submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted upon as follows

| | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre 4 | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 98 | 93 | 19 | 16 | 226 |
| No | 118 | 68 | 8 | 10 | 204 |
| Blanks | 134 | 118 | 18 | 29 | 299 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
Edward J. Robbins
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 an Article of Amendment relative to Limit Buildings submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted upon as follows

| | No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 | No. 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | [illegible] | 15 | 7 | [illegible] | 7 |
| No | 12[illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | 12 | 216 |
| Blanks | 134 | 127 | 21 | 32 | 314 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 145 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
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Clerk

1918

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 for the purpose of giving in their votes on Article of Amendment relating to Compulsory Voting submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted upon as follows.

| | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 141 | 64 | 15 | 6 | 149 |
| No | 175 | 110 | 18 | 25 | 328 |
| Blanks | 111 | 105 | 12 | 24 | 252 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
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Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918, an Article of Amendment relative to Credit of the Commonwealth submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted upon as follows

| | Ch. 1 | Ch. 2 | Ch. 3 | Ch. 4 | Ch. 5 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 86 | 73 | 14 | 10 | [illegible] |
| No | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Blanks | 131 | 128 | 17 | 30 | 208 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
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Town Clerk

1918

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 on Article of Amendment relating to State Budget submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted upon as follows

| | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 55 | 10 | 20 | 1 | 180 |
| No | 125 | 79 | 6 | 15 | 225 |
| Blanks | 142 | 130 | 19 | 33 | 324 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 53 | 729 |

Recorded by
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Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 an Article "Amendment relative to Biennial Elections" submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted upon as follo

| | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | [illegible] | [illegible] | 11 | [illegible] | 16[illegible] |
| No | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Blanks | 121 | 125 | 16 | 28 | 290 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

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Town Clerk

1918

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 5, 1918 an Article of Amendment relative to Legislative Recess Committees submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted upon as follows.

| | Pre. 1 | Pre 2 | Pre 3 | Pre 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 87 | 61 | 18 | 5 | 191 |
| No | 129 | 90 | 10 | 18 | 247 |
| Blanks | 134 | 128 | 17 | 32 | 311 |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 45 | 55 | 729 |

Recorded by
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Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 3, 1918 on Articles of Amendment relating to the Business Administration of the Commonwealth submitted by the Constitutional Convention was voted upon as follows

| | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| No | 121 | [illegible] | 19 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Blanks | 134 | 121 | 19 | 27 | [illegible] |
| Whole number of ballots | 350 | 279 | 145 | 505 | 729 |

Recorded by
Edward J. Robbins
Town Clerk

Result of Balloting for One Representative in the General Court
Eleventh Middlesex District at State Election Nov. 5, 1918

| | Acton | Bedford | Carlisle | Chelmsford | Littleton | Tyngsboro | Westford | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| James Harry Mahoney of Carlisle (R) | 273 | 158 | 65 | 533 | 142 | 100 | 232 | 1503 |
| Blanks | 67 | 47 | 15 | 196 | 40 | 19 | 98 | 484 |
| Whole number of ballots | 342 | 205 | 80 | 729 | 182 | 119 | 330 | 1987 |

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex S.S.

To the Constable of the Town of Chelmsford in said County: Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Town Hall at Chelmsford Center, on Monday, the third day of February, current, being the first Monday of said month, at eight o'clock in the forenoon. The polls will be opened at 8:15 A.M. and closed at 1:15 P.M., and they are then and there to act upon the following Articles, viz:

Article 1 To choose a Moderator

Article 2 To bring in their votes for one Assessor, one School Committee, two Trustees of the Adams Library, one Cemetery Commissioner, one Park Commissioner, one Selectman, one Overseer of the Poor, one Sinking Fund Commissioner, all for three years; Town Treasurer and Collector of Taxes, three Auditors, one Constable, one Tree Warden, all for one year. Also to vote on the following question: "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this Town"? All on one ballot.

Article 3. To choose all other Town officers necessary to be chosen by hand vote, or act in relation thereto.

Article 4 To hear reports of Town officers and committees or act in relation thereto.

Article 5 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray Town charges for the current year.

Article 6. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year; also in such other matters which may arise requiring in their judgement action of such agent, and to fully consider thereon

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Article 7 That see if the town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year.

Article 8 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seven hundred fifty dollars ($750.) to be paid the North Chelmsford Fire District for hydrant service for the current year; or act in relation thereto.

Article 9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seven hundred fifty dollars ($750.) to be paid the Chelmsford Water District for hydrant service for the current year; or act in relation thereto.

Article 10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two thousand dollars ($2000) or what other sum for the purpose of buying road binder material, to be Tarvia or some other product; or act in relation thereto.

Article 11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of eighty dollars ($80.) to reimburse Mr. John Curry of the North village for damage to automobile on Richardson road, or act in relation thereto.

Article 12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of forty five hundred dollars ($4500.) or what other sum for the purchase of a steam roller; or act in relation thereto.

Article 13 To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation at the prevailing price per light, for street lights in addition to the number previously contracted for and send lights to be distributed along the following public ways, viz: Eight lights on Billerica road, three lights on Russell Mill Road, One light on North Road; or act in relation thereto.

Article 14 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars ($500.) for the purpose of investigating the

advisability [illegible]
Fire District [illegible]
or act in re[illegible]

Article [illegible] To see if the [illegible] appoint [illegible] fifteen citizens two from each section [illegible] i.e. Cinbi. Hren. [illegible] the east and west [illegible] consider [illegible] should [illegible] the [illegible] regulate removal [illegible] and [illegible] the Chelmsford [illegible] limited to the call [illegible] recent [illegible] commendation [illegible] town meeting, but not later than the [illegible] annual town meeting; or to act in relation thereto.

Article 16 To see if the [illegible] vote to raise and appropriate the sum of fifty dollars ($50) [illegible] the ensuing year, and elect a director for demonstration work in agriculture and home economics, the same to be expended [illegible], and the director is [illegible] in cooperation with the Board of Agricultural Trustees of the Middlesex County Union Agricultural and Home Economics under an act entitled "An Act relative to County Agricultural Societies" Chapter 173 General Acts of 1918, or act in relation thereto.

Article 17 To see what action the town will take in regard to the observance of the anniversary of the signing of the Armistice and peace of the United States and of the other allies in the World War, and to see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate therefor, or act in relation thereto.

Could you we hereby to serve the foregoing, by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Orders of the Town, viz: Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, West Chelmsford, and at the Stoneham Post Office

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[illegible] [illegible] before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this fourth day of January in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and seventy [illegible].

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
Selectmen of Chelmsford.

I have served the foregoing Warrant by posting up true and attested copies of the same at the places above mentioned seven days before the day of holding said meeting.

[illegible]
Constable of Chelmsford

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant at the Town Hall Center Village, Monday, February 3, 1919 at 8 o'clock in the forenoon the following business was transacted, to wit: The meeting was called to order and the Warrant read by the Town Clerk, Edward J. Robb.

Under Article 1, to choose a Moderator, Walter Perham was unanimously elected, the check list being used and the oath of office was administered by the Town Clerk.

Under Article 2, relating to the election of town officers by the official ballot, the following Clerks and Tellers previously authorized by the Selectmen were sworn by the Town Clerk.

Ballot Clerks: John P. Scobonia, John H. Pratt.
Tellers: John F. Parker, George H. Day, Myron A. Queen, George A. Minnity, Samuel Fersnaw, William Langley.

The ballot boxes were examined and found to be empty, the registers indicating zero. The ballots were then delivered to the ballot clerks by the Town Clerk, he taking their receipt therefor. The polls were opened at 8-15 A.M. and closed at 1-20 P.M. The ballots as counted were 727 and the check lists corresponding. 509 ballots were cast by male voters and 218 ballots were cast by female voters. During the canvass of the ballots the following business was transacted.

Under Article 3 the following officers were chosen by nomination from the floor.

Fence Viewers: James H. Stearns, John H. Cogger, Leonard Spaulding.

Surveyors of Personal Property of Town: Frank E. Chapman, John H. Pike, Walter Perham.

Pound Keeper of Hay: S. Waldo Parkhurst, Fred Langley, Henry H. Emerson, Myron A. Queen, Frank E. Pickford, John B. Emerson.

Measurers of Wood: S. Waldo Parkhurst, Frederick Langley, Alvin H. Fletcher, Daniel A. Reardon, Frank E. Bickford, Myron A. Queen, John Marinel Jr. Melvin Walker, Francis O. Dutton, Homer H. Sweetser, Harry L. Parkhurst.
Surveyors of Lumber: R. Wilson Dix, Myron A. Queen, Herbert E. Sweetser, Alvin H. Fletcher, George E. Symmes, Stewart Mackay, E. Hamlin Russell, Melvin Walker, Francis O. Dutton, J. F. Knight, Harry L. Parkhurst.
Field Drivers: R. Wilson Dix, Thomas Murphy, E. Hamlin Russell.

Finance Committee: John J. Monahan, Herbert E. Ellis, James P. Dunigan, William H. Shedd, William E. Belleville.
Under Article 4, to hear reports of Town Officers and Committees. The report of the committee appointed at the last annual town meeting to look into the matter of uniting the two water systems now [illegible] upon the table pending action under 14 of this Warrant. It was voted that a committee of five be appointed by the Moderator to investigate school house needs at Golden Cove and at East Chelmsford and report at a special town meeting to be called later. The Moderator [illegible] said committee James P. Stearns, Harry L. Parkhurst, Robert Barrie, Charles F. [illegible] and Frank S. Marshall.
Voted to accept report of progress of High School Building Committee as printed in town report. Attention was called to the fact that the illustration of the tower on Robins Hill was of the old tower and not of the new one. Voted to accept the balance of town report as printed.
Under Article 5. The Finance Committee reported the sums necessary in their judgement which as amended it was voted to raise and appropriate as follows

| | |
|---|---|
| Teaching | $28,443 00 |
| Janitor Service | 5,004 00 |
| Fuel | 5,200 00 |
| Transportation | 8,090 00 |
| Supplies | 2,500 00 |
| Superintendent | 2,000 00 |
| Upkeep | 2,000 00 |
| Medical Inspection | 250 00 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,500 00 |
| New Equipment | 500 00 |

Voted that the sum of $1340. for outstanding bills and the receipts of the school department for 1918 for State wards and the dog taxes be appropriated from the treasury for the use of the schools.

For Highways the town voted that in order to meet the indebtedness to be incurred by the town in bearing its proportionate part of the proposed relocation, repair, and widening as and when ordered by the County Commissioners, of the North Road, so called, extending from the railroad crossing at Chelmsford Centre to the Princeton Boulevard at North Chelmsford, the Town Treasurer be and hereby is authorized, empowered and directed to borrow in sums not exceeding twelve thousand dollars at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent, per annum payable semi annually, and to issue therefor five promissory notes each in the same principal sum, payable at the expiration of one, two, three, four and five years from the date thereof, each note to be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by a majority of the Board of Selectmen. 151 voted in favor and 8 opposed.

It was also voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1100. for road work the

money to be distributed as follows
[illegible] Chelmsford 1,000 00
[illegible] Middlesex St.
and Collegeville in Chelmsford 500 00
Tolland 300 00
Net Chelmsford Road from
North Village 250 00
Lowell Road 250 00
Dunstable Road 100 00
C. & N. Crossing Center to Littleton
Boundary 150 00
Chelmsford St., Center 200 00
Billerica Road Center 500 00
Boston Road 500 00
Westford Road 500 00
Broadbine St. 250 00
Carlisle St. East Chelmsford 500 00
Deer Neck Road East Chelmsford 500 00
Charleton Avenue, East Chelmsford 250 00
Sprague Avenue, East Chelmsford 250 00
For superintendent of streets, patching
cleaning gutters, care of bridges
and the know work for the
ensuing year for the whole town 5000 00
Voted to re-appropriate from
money in the treasury for land
damages on Boston Road the
sum of $1000.

Support of Poor 6,500 00
Street Lighting 7360 00
Indigent Soldiers and Sailors 400 00
Industrial School (Lowell) 1,000 00 Plus the
receipts of the year 1918.
Repairs of Public Buildings 2,500 00
Tree Warden 100 00
Officers and Committees 600 00

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|---|---|
| Care and Improvement of Cemeteries | 800 00 |
| Memorial Day | 150 00 |
| Insurance Fund | 500 00 |
| Adams Library | 1200 00 |
| North Chelmsford Library Association provided the books are for the free use of all inhabitants of the town | 800 00 |
| Miscellaneous | [illegible] |
| Village Clock | 30 00 (the unexpended balance of last year |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | 100 00 |
| Meat Inspection | 500 00 |
| Cattle Inspection | 100 00 |
| Public Parks | 400 00 |
| Town Treasurer's Bond | 220 00 |

Under this article it was voted that the Selectmen be requested to install some system of town accounting.

Under Article 6. Voted that the Town authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year; also in such other matters which may arise requiring in their judgement the action of such agent, and to employ counsel therefor.

Under Article 7. Voted that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1919, and to issue a note or notes payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Under Article 8. Voted that the town raise and appropriate the sum of seven hundred fifty dollars ($750) to be paid the North Chelmsford Fire District for [illegible]

service for the current year

Under Article 9. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of seven hundred fifty dollars ($750.) to be paid the Chelmsford Water District for the current year.

Under Article 10. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of two thousand dollars ($2000.) for the purpose of buying road binder material to be Tarvia or some other product.

Under Article 11. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of eighty dollars ($80.) to reimburse Mr. John Curry at the North Village for damages to automobile on Richardson road.

Under Article 12 relative to raising and appropriating the sum of forty five hundred dollars ($4500.) for the purchase of a steam roller, the article was dismissed.

Under Article 13 Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred sixteen dollars for twelve electric lights in addition to the number previously contracted for said lights to be distributed along the following public ways, viz: Eight lights on Billerica road; three lights on Russell Mill road; and one light on North road.

Under Article 14. The report of the Committee appointed at the last annual town meeting to investigate the advisability of connecting the North Chelmsford Fire District and the Chelmsford Water District was accepted as a report of progress & it was voted that the sum of five hundred dollars ($500.) be raised and appropriated for the purpose of making a survey, in view of consolidating the two systems now in operation and its extension to the other parts of the town. 104 voting in favor and 29 opposed.

Under Article 15. Voted that the Moderator appoint a committee of ten citizens, two from each section of the Town, i.e., Center, North, South, East and West villages, whose duty it will be to consider what steps should be taken either by the erection of suitable memorials or otherwise, to give due and proper recognition of the Chelmsford boys who responded to the call of duty in the recent European conflict; this committee to bring in their report and recommendations at any subsequent special town meeting, but not later than the next annual town meeting. The committee appointed was as follows Charles E. Bartlett, Justin L. Moore, Dr. F. E. Varney, William L. Pecker, John J. Menehan, Fred A. Snow, Emile E. [illegible] C. Heady Park, William [illegible]

Under Article 16 relative to raising and appropriating an amount of money and the election of a director for demonstration work in agriculture and home economics under the provisions of Chapter 273, General Acts of 1918, the article was dismissed.

Under Article 17 Voted to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed five hundred Dollars ($500.) for the purpose of some form of celebration on April 19, 1919 or some other date as evidence of the appreciation of the town for the patriotic services of the men of Chelmsford in the Army and Navy of the United States and of the other Allies in the recent European War. The [illegible] to be left in the hands of the Selectmen

Following the transaction of the foregoing business the result of the official ballot for town officers under Article 2 of the warrant was declared as follows:

For Selectman for three years, William E. Belleville 252, A. Heady Park 223

For Overseer of the Poor for three years

William E. Belleville 243, A. Heady Park 226
For Town Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for one year.
Ervin N. Sweetser, 416
For Assessor for three years Herbert C. Sweetser 401
For three Auditors for one year Gabriel Audoin 253,
Charles P. Drew 360 Everett E. Harris 227 Albert A. Ludwig 268
For Constable for one year George M. Wright 377
For School Committee for three years Frank J. Carney 284
Herbert Waterhouse, 431
For two Trustees of Adams Library Edwin R. Clark 338
Otis P. Wheeler 337
For Tree Warden for one year Manol A. Bean 371.
For Sinking Fund Commissioner for three years Walter Perham 355
For Cemetery Commissioner for three years James S. Bryan 353
For Park Commissioner for three years Arthur M. Warren 373
Question on licensing the sale of liquors
Yes 57 No 384
At 5-15 P. M. voted to dissolve the meeting

Walter Perham
Moderator

Edward J. Robbins
Town Clerk

# Town Officers Elected Feb. 3 1919

| Office | Name of Officer | When Qualified Before whom |
|---|---|---|
| Three years Selectman | William E. Belleville | Feb. 3, 1919 Town Clerk |
| Three years Overseer of Poor | William E. Belleville | Feb. 3, 1919 Town Clerk |
| Treas. and Tax Collector | Irvin H. Sweetser | Feb. 8, 1919 Town Clerk |
| Three years Assessor | Herbert E. Sweetser | Feb. 8, 1919 Town Clerk |
| Auditors | Gabriel Audoin<br>Garfield A. Davis<br>Albert A. Ludwig | |
| Constable | George M. Wright | Feb. 4, 1919 Town Clerk |
| Three years School Committee | Herbert Waterhouse | Feb. 3, 1919 Town Clerk |
| Trustees of Adams Library | Edwin R. Clark<br>Otis P. Wheeler | |
| Fire Warden | Minot A. Bean | Feb. 10, 1919 Town Clerk |
| Sinking Fund Commissioner | Walter Perham | |
| Cemetery Commissioner | James S. Bryant | |
| Park Commissioner | Arthur M. Warren | |
| Fence Viewers | James H. Stevens<br>John H. Cogger<br>Leonard Spaulding | |
| Appraisers of Personal Property at Town Farm | Emile E. Paignon<br>John F. Parker<br>Walter Perham | |

| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| | S. Waldo Parkhurst | | |
| | Frederick Langley | Feb. 10, 1919 | Town Clerk |
| Weighers of Hay | Henry H. Emerson | | |
| | Myron A. Queen | | |
| | Frank E. Bickford | | |
| | John B. Emerson | | |
| | S. Waldo Parkhurst | | |
| | Frederick Langley | Feb. 10, 1919 | Town Clerk |
| | Alvin H. Fletcher | | |
| | Daniel A. Reardon | | |
| Measurers of Wood | Frank E. Bickford | | |
| | Myron A. Queen | | |
| | John Marinel Jr. | | |
| | Melvin Walker | | |
| | Francis O. Dutton | | |
| | Homer H. Sweetser | | |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | Feb. 10, 1919 | Town Clerk |
| | A. Falcon Dix | | |
| | Myron A. Queen | | |
| | Herbert C. Sweetser | Feb. 8, 1919 | Justin L. Morse, J. P. |
| Surveyors of Lumber | Alvin H. Fletcher | | |
| | George E. Symmes | | |
| | Stewart Mackay | | |
| | E. Hamlin Russell | | |
| | Melvin Walker | | |
| | Francis O. Dutton | | |
| | J. F. Knight | | |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | Feb. 10, 1919 | Town Clerk |

| Office | Name of Officer | When Qualified |
|---|---|---|
| Field | R. Wilson Dix | |
| Drivers | Thomas Murphy | |
| | " Franklin Kane | |
| | John J. [illegible] | |
| Finance | Herbert E. Eller | |
| Committee | James P. Dougherty | |
| | William H. Shedd | |
| | William E. Belleville | |

## Officers Appointed by the Selectmen

| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Town Counsel | [illegible] Fisher | | |
| Supt. of Burials | Charles Cerhan | | |
| | George F. Butler | | |
| | A. F. Shudden | Feb 17, 1919 | Town Clerk |
| Supt. of Burials of Indigent Soldiers and Sailors | Charles Cerhan | | |
| Mgrs. of Board of Health | Arthur G. Scobona Re 1 & 4 | | |
| | Fred E. Varney Re 2 & 3 | | |
| Inspectors of Voters | James F. Leahey | Feb. 12, 1919 | Wm T. Picken J.P. |
| | Samuel Cerhan to fill unexpired term of George V. Tilley caused from physical disability | Feb. 8, 1919 | Town Clerk |
| | [illegible] term to June 1920 | | |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | Curtis A. Aikens | | |
| Supt. of Moth Work | Charles Shepherd | | |
| Janitors of Public Buildings | Owen Scollan | Feb. 12, 1919 | D. Frank Small J.P. |
| | Curtis A. Aikens | | |
| Game Warden | Charles F. Morse | | |
| Supt. of Streets | Charles Forsythe | Feb. 7, 1919 | Justin L. Moore J.P. |

## Officers Appointed by the Selectmen Continued

| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| | George O. Moore | Feb. 10, 1919 | Walter Chase J.P. |
| | Frank E. Byam | | |
| | Owen Scollan | Feb. 12, 1919 | D. Frank Small J.P. |
| | Morton B. Wright | Feb. 12, 1919 | D. Frank Small J.P. |
| | Thomas Jones | Feb. 12, 1919 | D. Frank Small J.P. |
| | George Small | Mar. 3, 1919 | H. E. Ellis J.P. |
| Special | James S. Byam | | |
| Police | Herbert A. Vickery | Feb. 10, 1919 | Town Clerk |
| Officers | Ralph H. Emerson | | |
| | Thomas Brown | | |
| | Charles E. Verrine | Mar. 6, 1919 | Town Clerk |
| | Walter S. Aiken | | |
| | George E. Moore Jr. | Feb. 12, 1919 | Walter Chase J.P. |
| | George O. Spaulding | Feb. 12, 1919 | H. E. Ellis J.P. |
| | Patrick J. Welsh | Feb. 12, 1919 | H. E. Ellis J.P. |
| | Herbert M. Sturtevant | | |
| | Patrick H. Haley | Apr. 2, 1919 | Town Clerk |
| | Charles F. Devine | Apr. 28, 1919 | D. Frank Small J.P. |
| | Emma L. Parkhurst | Feb. 8, 1919 | Town Clerk |
| | James P. Dunigan | | |
| | John B. Emerson | | |
| Weighers | Frederick Tangley | Feb. 10, 1919 | Town Clerk |
| of | John Dunigan | Feb. 8, 1919 | Town Clerk |
| Coal | J. H. Richardson | | |
| | Frank E. Richford | | |
| | George Y. Pope | | |
| | H. L. Parkhurst | Feb. 10, 1919 | Town Clerk |

Officers Appointed by the Selectmen Continued

| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| | James F. Leahey | Feb. 12, 1919 | Wm T. Picken J.P. |
| | James Lona | Feb. 20, 1919 | Walter J. Chase J.P. |
| Fence Viewers | James C. Hackett | Feb. 14, 1919 | N. E. Ellis J.P. |
| of | Paul McGregor | Feb. 12, 1919 | D Frank Small J.P. |
| Lumber | George K. Pope | Feb. 20, 1919 | Walter J. Chase J.P. |
| | William Brown | Feb. 20, 1919 | Walter J. Chase J.P. |
| | James E. Parkhurst | Feb. 13, 1919 | Town Clerk |
| | [illegible] | | |
| | Pearl T. Durrell | | |
| | John Burton | | |
| | E. A. Vondal | | |
| Surveyors | F. Robinson | | |
| of | Wallace C. McDonald | | |
| Lumber | D. C. Cummings | | |
| | John Harrison | | |
| | Homer H. Sweeter | | |
| | N. A. Townsend | | |
| | Edward B. Russell | Aug. 6, 1919 | Town Clerk |

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss

To the Constable of the Town of Chelmsford, in said County: Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Town Hall at Chelmsford Center, on Wednesday, the twenty-eighth day of May, current, being the fourth Wednesday of said month, at eight o'clock in the evening. And then and there to act upon the following Articles, viz:

Article 1 To choose a Moderator

Article 2 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2500, or what other sum, if any, for the purpose of celebrating the return of its soldiers and sailors, as provided in Section 1, Chapter 11 of the Acts of the Legislature of the present year; or act in relation thereto.

Article 3 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate $35. or what other sum, if any, for the purpose of painting the flag pole at North Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

Article 4. To see if the Town will consent to an extension of St. Joseph's Cemetery, so called, situated in East Chelmsford by the addition of a certain lot of land containing by estimation about 19 acres bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northwesterly corner thereof at the road leading from Chelmsford to Billerica, thence southerly on land now or formerly of one Hillaughby 27 rods and 21 links to the corner of the wall at land now or formerly of one John Kennedy; thence south 88½° east on said Kennedy land 26 rods and 18½ links to a stake and stones at land now or formerly of John O'Neil, supposed to belong to said Cemetery; thence north 3½° east on last named land 17 rods and

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12½ links to a stake and stones at said road; thence southeasterly on said road 34 rods and 4 links to the bound of beginning; or any and what part thereof, and will consent to the use thereof for burial and other cemetery purposes, pursuant to provisions of Section 10, Chapter 75 of the Revised Laws as amended by Chapter 379 of the Acts of 1905; or act in relation thereto.

Article 5 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate $2500. or what other sum, if any, for the construction and maintenance of highways; or act in relation thereto.

Article 6 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2000.00, or what other sum, if any, to grade the Athletic Field at the New High School; or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant, by posting attested copies thereof at Post Offices in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, West Chelmsford, and at the Schoolhouse in West Chelmsford seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Fail not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twentieth day of May, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and nineteen.

Justine L. Morse
D. Frank Small
William E. Bellerell
Selectmen of Chelmsford

I have served the foregoing Warrant by posting up true and attested copies of the same at the places above mentioned seven days before the day of holding said meeting.

George M. Wright
constable of Chelmsford

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the [illegible] of Chelmsford, qualified to vote in Town affairs, held pursuant to Warrant [illegible] Center Village, [illegible] May [illegible] at eight o'clock A.M. the following [illegible] transacted to wit:

The meeting was called to order and the Warrant read by the Town Clerk.

Under Article 1, to choose a Moderator, Walter [illegible] was unanimously elected the check list being used and the oath of office administered by the Town Clerk.

Under Article 2, the Finance Committee submitted their report and recommended that the sums voted for under Articles 4, 3 [illegible] and 6 of the warrant be raised and appropriated.

It was voted that the [illegible] raise and appropriate the sum of $500. for the purpose of celebrating the return of the soldiers and sailors of Chelmsford, as provided in Section 1, Chapter 11 of the Acts of the Legislature of the present year, and that the same be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

Under Article 3, voted that they raise and appropriate the sum of $35. for the purpose of painting the flag pole at North Chelmsford, the same to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

Under Article 4, voted that permission be and the same hereby is given (to the Oblate Fathers) to extend St. Joseph's Cemetery, so called, situated in East Chelmsford by the addition of a certain tract of land containing by estimation about [illegible] acres, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northeasterly corner thereof at the road leading from Chelmsford to Billerica; thence southerly on land now or formerly

of one Hillonghby twenty-nine rods and twenty one links to the corner of the wall at land now or formerly of one John Kennedy, thence south 88½° west on said Kennedy land twenty four rods and eighteen and ½ links to a stake and stones at land now or formerly of John O'Neil, supposed to belong to said Cemetery; thence north 3½° west on last named land eighty-seven rods and twelve and ½ links to a stake and stones at said road; thence southwesterly on said road thirty four rods and 2 links to the point of beginning; and to use the same for burial and other cemetery purposes, the location of said land for such use having been approved in writing by the Board of Health after notice to all persons interested and a hearing, and a description of such land sufficient for its identification included in the records of said Board, all pursuant to the provisions of Section 30, Chapter 78 of the Revised Laws as amended by Chapter 379 of the Acts of 1908.

Under Article 5 voted that the town raise and appropriate the additional sum of $2500. for the construction and maintenance of highways of which $1000. is to be expended on Middlesex Street, North Chelmsford, and the balance as a part of the general highway appropriation.

Under Article 6 voted that the town raise and appropriate the sum of $200. for the purpose of grading the athletic field at the new High School at Chelmsford Centre, the same to be expended under the direction of the Building Committee.

At 9-10 P.M. voted to dissolve the meeting.

Walter Perham
Moderator

Edward J. Robbins
Town Clerk

Precinct Officers appointed for State Primaries held Sept. 23, 1919 and State Election Nov. 4, 1919.

| Office | Name of Officer | Precinct | Appointed | Qualified | By whom |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Clerk | Howard S. Adamson | 1 | | | |
| Warden | John V. Scoboria | 1 | | | |
| Teller | John H. Pratt | 1 | | | |
| | Wilbur E. Lapham | 1 | | | |
| | James S. Bryan | 1 | | | |
| | Henry A. Bunce | 1 | | | |
| | Sidney E. Dufee | 1 | | | |
| | Homer S. Swetzer | 1 | | | |
| | Daniel A. Haley | 1 | | | |

1919

At a legal meeting held Sept. 23, 1919 at the four precincts of the Town of Chelmsford in conformity with the provisions of Chapter 550 of Acts of 1911 the following candidates for nomination received the number of votes set against their respective names.

| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | Pre. 1 | Pre 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Governor | Calvin Coolidge | Rep. | 214 | 132 | 12 | 18 | 376 |
| " | Frederick S. Dietrick | Dem. | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| " | Eugene N. Foss | Dem. | 9 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 15 |
| " | Richard H. Long | Dem. | 13 | 30 | 1 | 7 | 51 |
| | George F. Monahan | Dem | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 4 |
| Lieutenant Governor | Channing H. Cox | Rep. | 210 | 125 | 13 | 16 | 364 |
| " | John F. J. Herbert | Dem. | 20 | 30 | 2 | 8 | 60 |
| Secretary | Albert P. Langtry | Rep. | 203 | 122 | 13 | 17 | 355 |
| " | Charles H. McGlue | Dem. | 17 | 26 | 2 | 7 | 52 |
| Treasurer | Fred J. Burrell | Rep | 78 | 32 | 4 | 0 | 114 |
| " | Charles L. Gifford | Rep. | 27 | 12 | 3 | 2 | 44 |
| " | Fred P. Greenwood | Rep. | 25 | 18 | 1 | 3 | 47 |
| | Frederick N. Kerr | Rep. | 12 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 21 |
| " | Frank S. Perkins | Rep. | 37 | 24 | 4 | 0 | 65 |
| " | Frederick E. Pierce | Rep. | 10 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 24 |
| | Chandler M. Wood | Dem. | 18 | 27 | 2 | 7 | 54 |
| Auditor | Alonzo B. Cook | Rep. | 185 | 117 | 13 | 15 | 330 |
| | Arthur J. B. Cartier | Dem | 17 | 25 | 2 | 6 | 50 |
| Atty. General | J. Weston Allen | Rep. | 84 | 37 | 3 | 3 | 127 |
| " | Robert J. Bottomly | Rep. | 19 | 25 | 1 | 3 | 48 |
| " | James Mott Hallowell | Rep. | 17 | 12 | 1 | 4 | 34 |
| " | William Harold Hitchcock | Rep. | 31 | 22 | 1 | 5 | 59 |
| " | Clarence W. Rowley | Rep | 12 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 13 |
| " | David Stoneman | Rep. | 34 | 30 | 5 | 2 | 71 |
| " | Joseph A. Conry | Dem | 17 | 27 | 2 | 8 | 54 |
| Councillor | James G. Harris | Rep. | 58 | 29 | 3 | 4 | 94 |
| " | Fred D. Lewis | Rep. | 140 | 103 | 10 | 13 | 266 |
| Senator | Hamlet S. Greenwood | Rep | 32 | 28 | 5 | 9 | 74 |
| | Frank H. Putnam | Rep | 174 | 98 | 9 | 8 | 289 |
| " | Joseph H. Jodoin Jr | Dem | 9 | 8 | 0 | 2 | 19 |
| " | John T. Sparks | Dem | 10 | 26 | 2 | 8 | 46 |

# Result of Primary Vote Continued.

| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | Pre 1. | Pre 2. | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Representative | Fred L. Snow | Rep. | 37 | 135 | 11 | 10 | 193 |
| " | James H. Wilkins | Rep. | 182 | 16 | 3 | 6 | 207 |
| " | Karl M. Perham | Dem. | 21 | 23 | 2 | 9 | 55 |
| County Commissioner | Smith J. Adams | Rep. | 18 | 23 | 5 | 1 | 47 |
| | Erson B. Barlow | Rep. | 58 | 88 | 5 | 7 | 158 |
| | Arthur W. Colburn | Rep. | 133 | 33 | 4 | 10 | 180 |
| Asso. County Commissioner | Frederic P. Barnes | Rep. | 146 | 88 | 11 | 12 | 257 |
| " | H. Harding Hale | Rep. | 146 | 99 | 10 | 9 | 264 |
| Dist. Atty. | Nathan A. Tufts | Rep. | 192 | 14 | 11 | 14 | 231 |
| | William E. Russell | Dem | 15 | 24 | 2 | 6 | 47 |
| Member of State Committee | Arthur F. Salmon | Rep. | 180 | 119 | 13 | 15 | 327 |
| Del. to State Convention | Edward J. Robbins | Rep. | 181 | 105 | 12 | 15 | 313 |
| " | Walter Perham | Rep. | 193 | 98 | 14 | 13 | 318 |
| " | D. Frank Small | Rep. | 175 | 130 | 13 | 14 | 332 |
| " | John E. Harrington | Dem | 20 | 32 | 1 | 9 | 62 |
| " | John H. Daley | Dem | 16 | 29 | 2 | 7 | 54 |
| Town Committee | D. Frank Small | Rep. | 167 | 135 | 14 | 15 | 331 |
| " | Fred L. Fletcher | Rep. | 170 | 104 | 14 | 14 | 302 |
| " | Joseph T. Buttery | Rep. | 159 | 102 | 13 | 14 | 288 |
| " | Herbert C. Sweetser | Rep. | 181 | 102 | 13 | 16 | 312 |
| " | Walter F. Thurston | Rep. | 168 | 96 | 13 | 13 | 290 |
| " | Benjamin Cole | Rep. | 170 | 96 | 13 | 13 | 292 |
| " | Charles Nichols | Rep. | 174 | 97 | 13 | 14 | 298 |
| " | Charles A. Bean | Rep. | 163 | 97 | 13 | 14 | 287 |
| " | Franklin E. Johnson | Rep. | 171 | 97 | 13 | 14 | 295 |
| " | Sinai Simard | Rep. | 162 | 95 | 13 | 14 | 284 |
| " | John E. Harrington | Dem | 18 | 33 | 2 | 9 | 62 |
| " | John H. Daley | Dem | 15 | 31 | 2 | 8 | 56 |
| " | Daniel E. Haley | Dem | 17 | 27 | 2 | 8 | 56 |
| Total No. of Votes Cast in each Precinct | Republican | | 224 | 157 | 15 | 19 | |
| | Democratic | | 24 | 37 | 2 | 11 | |
| | Total | | 248 | 194 | 17 | 30 | 489 |

Recorded by
Edward J. Robbins Town Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

[illegible] Returns of the qualified voters of the Towns of Chelmsford [illegible] for the purpose of giving in their votes for Governor and were for the following persons, viz:

| Candidates | No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 | No. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| [illegible] Coolidge of Northampton (R) | 100 | 193 | 39 | 49 | 681 |
| Charles B. Ernst of Worcester (Pro) | 9 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 11 |
| William D. Tenney of Springfield (Soc) | 4 | 6 | 10 | 1 | 21 |
| Richard H. Long of Framingham (D) | 37 | 136 | 11 | 28 | 212 |
| Joseph Breitend Barton (Soc. Lab) | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Scattering | 7 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 20 |
| Whole number of ballots | 459 | 347 | 62 | 79 | 947 |

Attest by
Edward L. Rotheny
Town Clerk

[illegible]

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 14, 1919, for the p[illegible] giving in their votes for a Lieutenant Go[illegible] for the following persons named.

| Names of Candidates | | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Charles J. Brandt of Brockton | (Soc) | 9 | 7 | 13 | 2 | 31 |
| Channing H. Cox of Boston | (R) | 373 | 173 | 31 | 43 | 620 |
| H. Edward Gordon of Boston | (Pro.) | 5 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| John F. J. Herbert of Worcester | (D) | 46 | 137 | 17 | 27 | 227 |
| Patrick Mulligan of Boston | Soc. Lab | 9 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 14 |
| Blanks | | 17 | 22 | 1 | 6 | 46 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 459 | 347 | 62 | 79 | 947 |

Recorded by

[illegible]

1919

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

[illegible] the qualified voters of the [illegible] Congressional District [illegible] for the purpose [illegible] two voters from Senatorial District of the Commonwealth and voting for the following persons [illegible]

| [illegible] | | Cr. 1 | Cr. 2 | Cr. 3 | Cr. 4 | Cr. 5 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| [illegible] Boston | (Rep) | 14 | 12 | 1 | 1 | 28 |
| [illegible] Hopkinton | (Soc Lab) | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 6 |
| [illegible] Springfield | (Rep) | 312 | 170 | 36 | 40 | 618 |
| [illegible] Springfield | (Dem) | 43 | 125 | 9 | 25 | 202 |
| [illegible] Springfield | (Soc) | 5 | 1 | 12 | 1 | 25 |
| Blanks | | 24 | 31 | 4 | 9 | 68 |
| Aggregate number of ballots | | 459 | 347 | 62 | 79 | 947 |

Attested by
[illegible]
Secretary

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the [illegible] of Charlestown [illegible] giving in their votes for a Treasurer of the Commonwealth and have for the following persons [illegible]

| Names of Candidates | | No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 | No. 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fred J. Burrell of Medford | (R) | 310 | 170 | 27 | 37 | 544 |
| David Craig of Milford | (Soc. Labor) | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 5 |
| Charles D. Fletcher of Somerville | (Pro) | 6 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 13 |
| Louis Marcus of Boston | (Soc) | 11 | 6 | 13 | 1 | 31 |
| Chandler M. Ward of Winchester | (D) | 121 | 131 | 17 | 28 | 297 |
| Blanks | | 18 | 30 | 4 | 12 | 64 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 459 | 347 | 62 | 79 | 947 |

Recorded by
[illegible]
[illegible]

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

[illegible] Legislature, being the examining and canvassing [illegible] of the Commonwealth held Nov. [illegible] for the purpose [illegible] votes for [illegible] Governor of the Commonwealth and were for the following persons, namely

| Name of Candidates | | Ward 1 | Ward 2 | Ward 3 | Ward 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| William H. B. Cartier of Fall River | (D) | 53 | 108 | 10 | 23 | 194 |
| [illegible] Cook of Boston | (R) | 363 | 185 | 34 | 36 | 620 |
| Oscar Mirealae of Springfield | (Soc. Lab) | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Walter C. J. Sheehan of Springfield | (Soc) | 3 | 5 | 12 | 1 | 21 |
| [illegible] J. [illegible] of Boston | (Pro) | 9 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 16 |
| Blanks | | 29 | 41 | 6 | 18 | 94 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 459 | 347 | 62 | 19 | 947 |

Attested by

[illegible]

[illegible]

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
[illegible] Senatorial District
[illegible] County of Middlesex
[illegible] giving on their index [illegible] Attorney General
of the Commonwealth and were [illegible] following
[illegible]

| Names of Candidates | | Pct. 1 | Pct. 2 | Pct. 3 | Pct. 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Preston Allen of Newton | (R) | 385 | 180 | [illegible] | 37 | [illegible] |
| Morris [illegible] of Chelsea | [illegible] | [illegible] | 4 | 0 | 1 | 7 |
| Joseph [illegible] of Newton | [illegible] | 40 | 112 | 11 | 25 | 189 |
| Conrad [illegible] of [illegible] | [illegible] | 3 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 16 |
| William R. Henry of [illegible] | [illegible] | 3 | 7 | 13 | 1 | 24 |
| Blanks | | 24 | 33 | 3 | 14 | 76 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 459 | 347 | 67 | [illegible] | 917 |

Recorded by
Edward F. Robbins
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov 4, 1918 for the purpose of passing their votes for a Committee for the Sixth Councilor District and votes for the following persons were cast

| Names of Candidates | Ward 1 | Ward 2 | Ward 3 | Ward 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Frank L. Dwyer of Lowell | 377 | 210 | 41 | 40 | 668 |
| Scattering | 82 | 137 | 21 | 39 | 279 |
| Whole number of ballots | 459 | 347 | 62 | 79 | 947 |

Attested by
Edward J. Walker
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 4, 1919 for the purpose of voting in their votes for a Senator for the Eighth Middlesex Senatorial District we have the following persons named,

| Names of Candidates | | Pct. 1 | Pct. 2 | Pct. 3 | Pct. 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Frank H. Putnam of Lowell | (R) | 362 | 177 | 34 | 41 | 614 |
| Hunt Spencer of Dracut | (D) | 19 | 133 | 17 | 31 | 282 |
| Blanks | | 18 | 11 | 9 | 7 | 51 |
| Total number of ballots | | 459 | 341 | 62 | 79 | 941 |

Recorded by
Edward L. Robbins
Town Clerk

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Blankets | 10 | 10 | 10 | 13 | 14 |
| Short number of blankets | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the
n of Chelmsford held Nov. 4, 1919 for the purpose
of giving in their votes for Two Associate County
Commissioners for Middlesex County and
for the following persons respectively

| Names of Candidates | | Pre. 1 | Pre 2 | Pre 3 | Pre 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Frederick P. Barnes of Newton | (R) | 337 | 192 | 38 | 37 | 604 |
| H. Harding Hale of Hudson | (R) | 213 | 123 | 26 | 33 | 395 |
| Blanks | | 368 | 379 | 60 | 88 | 895 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 918 | 694 | 124 | 158 | 1894 |

Recorded by
Edward J. Robbins
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 4, 1919 for the purpose of giving in their votes for a District Attorney for the Northern District and were for the following persons namely

| Names of candidates | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| William Wesselhöft Cambridge | [illegible] | 59 | 19 | 9 | 28 | 203 |
| Nathan A. Tufts of Waltham | [illegible] | 366 | 203 | 11 | 40 | 650 |
| Blanks | | 34 | 31 | 12 | 11 | 94 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 459 | 341 | 63 | 79 | 947 |

Attested by
Edward [illegible]
[illegible]

1911

Commonwealth of Australia

At a legal meeting of the electors under the Commonwealth Electoral Act No. 20, 1911 for the purpose of voting on the question submitted to the electors, namely "Shall the Government's Constitution of the Commonwealth be submitted to the Constitutional Convention to be approved and adopted"

| | No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 | No. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 164 | 141 | 33 | 26 | 364 |
| No | 69 | 51 | 5 | 11 | 136 |
| Informal | 226 | 155 | 24 | 42 | 447 |
| Whole number of ballots | 459 | 347 | 62 | 79 | 947 |

Witness to signature
Edward McCarthy
Town Clerk

Memorandum of Business transacted
at a Local Meeting of the [illegible]
[illegible] Enumerator's District [illegible]
[illegible] on the 1st day of [illegible]
"Shall an act passed by the Local Legislature, the
[illegible] hundred and [illegible] and the [illegible]
relating to the [illegible]
[illegible] information schools and [illegible]
employed [illegible]" be repealed?

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 229 | 189 | 38 | 36 | 492 |
| No | 40 | 29 | [illegible] | 6 | 79 |
| Blanks | 190 | 129 | 20 | 37 | 376 |
| Whole number of heads | 459 | 347 | [illegible] | [illegible] | 947 |

Recorded by
Edward J. R. [illegible]
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 8 1887 for the purpose of voting in their order upon the following question under Chapter 111 Section 160 of the General Statutes of 1882 as amended by the Legislature without division which provides that deficiencies in sewerage works and sewerage departments of local companies may be placed or embodied in a warrant and so allowed, that bonds for such deficiencies may be issued accordingly and not otherwise, and that no bond shall not be paid on any such deficiency until such deficiency shall have been duly authorized by a vote of the town.

| | No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 | No. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 186 | 130 | 28 | 33 | 382 |
| No | 72 | 86 | 11 | 11 | 180 |
| Blanks | 201 | 126 | 23 | 35 | 385 |
| Whole number of ballots | 459 | 347 | 62 | 79 | 947 |

Per Order
Edward Rutter
Town Clerk

[illegible]

Municipal [illegible] of the qualified [illegible] Town of Chelmsford held [illegible] for the purpose of giving in their votes upon the following question "Shall the Senator from this district be instructed to vote for legislation to regulate and license the manufacture and sale of beverages containing not over four per cent of alcohol by weight and to define same to be non-intoxicating?"

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 151 | 164 | 34 | 28 | 385 |
| No | 167 | 109 | 17 | 21 | 324 |
| Blanks | 133 | 72 | 9 | 24 | 238 |
| Whole number of ballots | 459 | 347 | 62 | 79 | 947 |

[illegible]
Edward [illegible]
Town Clerk

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Result of Balloting for One Representative in the General Court
Eleventh Middlesex District at State Election Nov. 4, 1919.

| | Acton | Bedford | Carlisle | Chelmsford | Littleton | Tyngsboro | Westford | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Karl M. Perham of Chelmsford (D) | 69 | 64 | 25 | 422 | 52 | 53 | 129 | 814 |
| James Harry Wilkins of Carlisle R. | 296 | 178 | 69 | 451 | 151 | 114 | 219 | 1478 |
| Blanks | 25 | 15 | 1 | 74 | 17 | 12 | 32 | 176 |
| Whole number of ballots | 390 | 257 | 95 | 947 | 220 | 179 | 380 | 2468 |

Horace F. Tuttle Town Clerk of Acton
Abbott R. Webber " " " Bedford
Dexter C. Whittemore " " " Carlisle
Edward J. Robbins " " " Chelmsford
Eliot M. Young " " " Littleton
Charles P. Littlehale " " " Tyngsboro
Charles L. Wildreth " " " Westford

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex s.s.

To the Constable of the town of Chelmsford in said County: Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Town Hall at Chelmsford Center, on Monday, the twenty-fourth day of November current, at eight o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles viz:

Article 1 To choose a Moderator

Article 2 To see if the Town will accept Chapter 293 of the Acts of 1916 entitled "An Act to Authorize the Licensing by Cities and Towns of Motor Vehicles Carrying Passengers for Hire," or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at Post Offices in the Center of the town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford, and at the Schoolhouse, East Chelmsford, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this tenth day of November in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and nineteen.

Justin L. Moore
D. Frank Small
William E. Belleville
Selectmen of Chelmsford.

I have served the foregoing Warrant by posting up true and attested copies of the same at the places above mentioned more than seven days before the day of holding said meeting.

George M. Wright
Constable of Chelmsford.

1919

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant at the Town Hall, Center Village, Monday evening Nov. 24, 1919 at eight o'clock P.M. the following business was transacted to wit:

The meeting was called to order and the Warrant read by the Town Clerk.

Under Article 1 to choose a Moderator, Walter Perham was unanimously elected the check list being used and the oath of office administered by the Town Clerk.

Under Article 2 It was moved that Chapter 293 of the Acts of 1916 entitled "An Act to Authorize the Licensing by Cities and Towns of Motor Vehicles Carrying Passengers for Hire" be and the same hereby is accepted by the Town of Chelmsford.

An amendment to the foregoing motion was immediately offered and passed and was that "when voted upon it be by a yes and No ballot and that the check list be used."

The original motion as amended was then argued at length. A motion was then offered that action upon the matter be indefinately postponed. This motion was carried by voice vote.. At 9-45 the meeting was dissolved.

Walter Perham
Moderator

Edward J. Robbins
Town Clerk.

[illegible]

Middlesex, ss.

To the Constable of the Town of Chelmsford in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Town Hall at Chelmsford Center, on Monday, the second day of February, current, being the first Monday of said month at eight o'clock in the forenoon. The polls to be opened at 8 o'clock A.M. and closed at 1 o'clock P.M. and then and there to act upon the following Articles viz:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

Article 2. To bring in their votes for one Assessor, for three years; one School Committee, for three years; Trustees of the Adams Library, for three years; one Cemetery Commissioner, for three years; one Park Commissioner, for three years; one Selectman, for three years, one Selectman for one year; one Overseer of the Poor, for three years; one Overseer of the Poor for one year; one Sinking Fund Commissioner, for three years; Town Treasurer and Collector of Taxes, for one year; three Auditors, for one year; one Constable, for one year; one Tree Warden, for one year. Also to vote on the following question: "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this Town?" Yes — No — on ballot.

Article 3 To choose all other Town officers required to be chosen by hand vote or act in relation thereto.

Article 4. To hear reports of Town officers and committees, or act in relation thereto.

Article 5. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray Town charges for the current

Article 6 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year; also in such other matters which may arise requiring in their judgment the action of such agent, and to employ counsel therefor.

Article 7 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year.

Article 8 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seven hundred fifty dollars ($750) to be paid the North Chelmsford Fire District for hydrant service, for the current year, or act in relation thereto

Article 9 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seven hundred fifty dollars ($750) to be paid the Chelmsford Water District for hydrant service for the current year, or act in relation thereto.

Article 10 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three thousand dollars ($3000.) or what other sum, for the purpose of buying road binder material, to be tarvia or some other product, or act in relation thereto.

Article 11. To see if the Town will accept and allow Grove Street as laid out on October 10, 1919, as described in their report filed in the Town Clerk's office on January 7, 1920, and shown on the plan therein referred to, or act in relation thereto.

Article 12. To see if the Town will accept and allow Perham Street as laid out on October 10, 1919, as described in their report filed in the Town Clerk's office on January 7, 1920, and shown on the plan therein referred to, or act in relation thereto.

Article 13 To see if the Town will accept and allow Columbus Avenue as laid out on October 10, 1919, as described in their report filed in the Town Clerk's office on January 7, 1920, and shown on the

[illegible] appropriate or act in relation thereto.

Article 14 To see what the position the Town will make of the North Row School House or act in relation thereto.

Article 15 To see if the Town will appoint a committee to prepare plans for the erection of a school building of four rooms at the Northside or act in relation thereto.

Article 16 To see if the Town will vote to borrow the sum of twelve thousand dollars ($12000.), or what other sum, for the purpose of constructing the North Road, so called, or act in relation thereto.

Article 17 To see if the Town will vote to pay for revaluation of the real estate, make a printed report of the same for distribution, and raise and appropriate a sum of money sufficient to defray the expense or act in relation thereto.

Article 18 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation, at the prevailing price per light, for thirty-eight lights in addition to the number previously contracted for, and said lights to be distributed along the following public ways, viz: Two lights on River Meadow Road; two lights on Dalton Road; one light on Hartford Road, corner Chestnut Hill Road; two lights on Robins Hill Road; six lights on Carlisle Road, southerly from Boston Road; eight lights on Boston Road; seven lights on Locust Street and Robins Hill Road; ten lights on Turnpike Road; or act in relation thereto.

Article 19 To see if the Town will vote to adopt suitable resolutions upon the death of D. Frank Small, or act in relation thereto.

Article 20 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars ($200.) or some other amount and elect a director for demonstration work in agriculture and home economics, the money to be expended by, and the director to serve

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co-operation with the County Trustees for Aid to Dependent Children of the Middlesex County Bureau of Charities and Home Economics, under the provisions of Chapter 273, General Acts of 1918, and in relation thereto.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the public way leading from Littleton Street to Westford Street immediately in front of the First Congregational Unitarian Church, or act in relation thereto.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of fifty dollars ($50) to purchase a flag for the South Village, or act in relation thereto.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to increase the salary of the Treasurer and Collector of Taxes, or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at Post Offices in the Center of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, West Chelmsford, and at the School House, East Chelmsford, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Hereof Fail Not, and, make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this tenth day of January, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty.

Justin L. Moore
William E. Kelleville
Selectmen of Chelmsford

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in [illegible] held pursuant to Warrant at the Town Hall in Village, Monday, February 2, 1920 at 8 o'clock in the forenoon the following [illegible] to wit: The meeting was called to order and the Warrant read by the Town Clerk [illegible] Walsh.
Under Article 1, to choose a Moderator Walter Perham was unanimously elected, the check list used and the oath of office was administered by the Town Clerk
Under Article 2. relative to the election by the official ballot, the following Clerks [illegible] previously appointed by the Selectmen [illegible] by the Town Clerk. Ballot Clerks [illegible] Daniel E. Haley [illegible] William J. Quigley, George Spaulding.

The ballot boxes were examined and found to be empty the registers indicating zero. The ballots were then delivered to the ballot clerks by the Town Clerk he taking their receipt therefor. [illegible] were opened at 8.15 A.M. and closed [illegible] P.M. The ballots as counted [illegible] and the check lists corresponding. [illegible] cast by male voters and 2 ballots were cast by female voters. During the counting of the ballots the following [illegible]
Under Article 3. the following officers were chosen by nomination from the floor.
Fence Viewers:- James H. Stevens, John [illegible] Leonard Spaulding.
Appraisers of Personal Property at Town Farm: Emile C. Bigamon Jr. John F. Parker, Walter B. Emerson
Weighers of Hay: S. Waldo Parkhurst, Fred Langley, [illegible] Green, Frank [illegible] Clifford [illegible] John B. Emerson,
Measurers of Wood:- S. Waldo Parkhurst, Fred Langley, Alvin H. Fletcher, John Marinel Jr. Daniel [illegible]

Frank E. Bickford, Myron W. Queen, Francis O. Dutton,
Harry L. Parkhurst. Hosmer A. Sweetser
Surveyors of Lumber: R. Nelson Dix, Myron W. Queen,
Herbert E. Sweetser, Albert A. Belcher, Samuel Hockey,
E. Hamlin Russell, Francis O. Dutton, J. H. Knight
Harry L. Parkhurst.
Field Drivers: R. Nelson Dix, Thomas Murphy, E. Hamlin
Russell.
Finance Committee: John J. Monahan, Herbert E. Ellis,
Samuel S. Kershaw, William H. Shedd, Wilbur E. Lapham.
Under Article 4. to hear reports of Town Officers and
Committees. The report of the committee appointed to
look into the matter of uniting the two water systems
that no money was spent and no meetings held
was accepted and the committee discharged.
The committee appointed at the last annual Town Meeting
to take steps concerning memorials for Chelmsford
service men reported that their work had not been
completed and they were given further time.
Voted that the two thousand dollars appropriated
last year for grading the athletic field at the new
High School be appropriated together with the
unexpended balance in the hands of the High School
Building Committee the whole amount to be used
for improving the grounds at the New High School.
The work to be in charge of the said Building Committee.
Several corrections in the printed report were made
and it was voted to adopt the printed report as corrected.
Under Article 5. Voted to appropriate from money
already in the treasury the sum of 606.50 for
coal contracted for during 1917 but not yet delivered.
The Finance Committee reported the sums necessary
in their judgment which as amended, it was
voted to raise and appropriate as follows.

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| Teachers | 41380 00 |
| Superintendent | 2400 00 |
| Janitors | 5660 00 |
| Fuel | 5000 00 |

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
Miscellaneous [illegible]
Upkeep and Repairs [illegible]
Books & Supplies $150.00 [illegible] [illegible]
New Equipment [illegible]
Health [illegible]
For general school purposes from Treasury [illegible]
Voted that the sum of Eleven Hundred
Dollars be raised and appropriated for the
Executive Department, the same to be [illegible]
pended in the following manner
Selectmen's Salaries [illegible]
Financial Department
Assessor's Salaries and Expenses [illegible] 00 00
Town Clerk's Salary 300 00
Auditor's Salaries [illegible] 00
Appraisers' Salaries 5 00
Legal Department
Town Counsel [illegible]
Election and Registration
Registrars' Salaries [illegible]
Election Expenses [illegible]
Public Protection Department
Board of Health Salaries 35 00
Two Agents of Board Salaries 100 00
Fire Department [illegible] 00 00
Police Department [illegible]
Tower Warden 50 00
Tree Warden 100 00
Game Warden [illegible]
Inspection Department
Meat Inspection [illegible] 00 00
Cattle Inspection [illegible] 00 00
Sealer of Weights and Measures 150 00

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Public Buildings Department

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| Janitor Service | 400 00 |
| Fuel, Light and Water | 650 00 |
| Repairs on roof, North Town Hall, painting North Town Hall, frost proofing toilet facilities at North Town Hall and repairing roofs at Town Farm Buildings | 1000 00 |

Highway Department

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| Superintendent's Salary | 2000 00 |
| General Work | 14500 00 |
| Street Signs | 300 00 |
| Acton St from Bartlett St. to corner of Acton and High St | 1200 00 |
| Concord Road | 200 00 |
| Westford Road | 500 00 |
| Billerica Road | 300 00 |
| River Neck Road | 300 00 |
| Steadman Street | 300 00 |
| Westford Road, near Dr Carney's Farm | 300 00 |
| West Chelmsford Village | 900 00 |
| Drulette St. | 250 00 |
| Groton Road | 250 00 |
| Dunstable Road | 100 00 |
| Middlesex Street | 2000 00 |

Charities Department

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| Overseers of the Poor, Salaries | 115 00 |
| Almshouse Poor | 1400 00 |
| Outside Poor | 3000 00 |
| Soldier's Relief | 1000 00 |

Libraries

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| Adams Library | 1500 00 |
| North Library | 1000 00 |

Cemetery Department

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| Commissioners' Salaries | 90 00 |
| Care and Improvement | 1000 00 |
| Fence at West Cemetery | 850 00 |

General
Soldiers' Park [illegible]
Street Lighting [illegible]
Village Clock 30.00
Memorial Hall [illegible]
Insurance Fund (Sinking Fund) [illegible]
Industrial School (Maintenance) [illegible]
Treasurer's Bond 220.00
Installation of System of Town Bookkeeping 50.00
Miscellaneous 150.00

Voted that the following [illegible] be appropriated from money already in the hands of the Town Treasurer.

Unpaid bills for 1919, Officers Deft. 768.[illegible]
" " " Miscellaneous 201.72
Repair and Rebuild Road leading from West to North 2100.00
Repair and Rebuild Center St (East) [illegible]

Under this article it was voted that a committee be appointed to investigate water conditions at the schools at East and South and to get estimates for installing systems, and to report at a special meeting not later than May 15 1920.

Charles F. Devine, Walter K. Putney and James E. Alcorn [illegible] appointed as this committee.

Under Article 6, Voted that the Town hereby authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year; also in such other matters which may arise requiring in their judgment the action of such agent, and to employ counsel therefor.

Under Article 7. Voted that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow [illegible] from time to time in anticipation of the revenue

of the financial year beginning January 1, 1920, and to issue a note or notes, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under the vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Under Article 8 Voted that the sum of seven hundred fifty dollars ($750.) be raised and appropriated to be paid the North Chelmsford Fire District for hydrant service for the current year.

Under Article 9. Voted that the sum of seven hundred fifty dollars ($750.) be raised and appropriated to be paid the Chelmsford Water District for hydrant service for the current year.

Under Article 10 Voted that the sum of three thousand dollars ($3000.) be raised and appropriated for the purpose of buying road binder material to be of tarvia or some other product.

Under Article 11 Voted that the Town accept and allow Grove Street as laid out on October 10, 1919, as described in the Selectmen's report filed in the Town Clerk's Office on January 7, 1920 and shown on a plan therein referred to.

Under Article 12. Voted that the Town accept and allow Chelsea Street as laid out on October 10, 1919, as described in the Selectmen's report filed in the Town Clerk's Office on January 7, 1920, and shown on a plan therein referred to.

Under Article 13 Voted that the Town accept and allow Columbus Avenue as laid out on October 10, 1919, as described in the Selectmen's report filed in the Town Clerk's Office on January 7, 1920 and shown on a plan therein referred to.

Under Article 14 Relative to what disposition the Town might make of the North Row School House, the article was indefinitely postponed.

[illegible]

school building, and site for same, at the Westlands and to report at a special town meeting to be held not later than May 15, 1920. Nilliston [illegible] Josiah E. Marshall and Edwin L. Stearns were appointed committee.

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and hereby is authorized to borrow a sum not exceeding Twelve Thousand Dollars at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent per annum [illegible] for five promissory notes each in the same principal sum, payable at the expiration of one, two, three, four and five years from the date thereof [illegible] to be signed by a majority of the Board of Selectmen. The proceeds to be used for the continuation of the construction of the North Road, so called. The vote was unanimous.

Under Article 17. Voted that the Assessors be instructed to make a revaluation of the Real Estate [illegible] and that the sum of fifteen hundred dollars ($1500) be raised and appropriated for that purpose.

Under Article 18. Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation for thirty seven lights in addition to the lights now existing, said lights to be distributed upon and along the following public ways, viz: two lights on River Neck Road; One light on Dalton Road; one light on Hesford Road; one on Chestnut Hill Road; two lights on Robin Hill Road; [illegible] lights on Cardinal Road; [illegible] from Dunton Road; seven lights on Lowell and Robin Hill Road; ten lights on Turnpike Road and eight lights on Boston Road.

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[illegible] adopted by a rising vote.

Whereas, By the sudden and untimely death of Selectman D. Frank Small, the Town of Chelmsford has been deprived of a good man and faithful citizen;

Resolved, That, while we bow to the inscrutable ways of Providence, we feel deeply the loss of a competent and highminded official of this Town, who in all his years of service exhibited an integrity of purpose, a wisdom in judgment and a fairness in [illegible] which commended him to his colleagues in office and contributed much to the honor and welfare of the Town.

And Further Resolved, That the Town Clerk be instructed to devote a page of the Town Records to the memory of Mr. Small, and a copy of these resolutions be neatly engrossed and sent to the widow of our lamented townsman.

Under Article 20. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars ($200.) for demonstration work in agriculture and home economics, the money to be expended by, and the director to serve in "co operation with" the County Trustees for Aid to Agriculture of the Middlesex County Bureau of Agriculture and Home Economics", under the provisions Chapter 273, General Acts of 1918. and that the director be appointed by the Selectmen.

Under Article 21. Voted that the public way leading from Littleton St. to Westford St. immediately in front of the First Congregational (Unitarian) Church, be discontinued.

Under Article 22. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of fifty dollars ($50.) for purchase of flag for the South Village.

Under Article 23. Voted that the salary of the Treasurer and Collector of Taxes be one hundred dollars ($100.) for year plus one hundred dollars ($100.) for expenses. and that these amounts be raised and appropriated for this purpose

Following the transaction of the foregoing business the result of the ballot cast for town officers under Article 2 of this warrant was declared as follows

For Selectman for 3 years George N. Day 1103

For Overseer of the Poor for 3 years George N. Day

For Selectman for One year James P. Dunigan 268 George Rigby. 200. Edward D. Inches 41

For Overseers of the Poor for One Year. James P. Dunigan 254, George Rigby. 196, Edward D. Inches 53

For Town Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for One Year, Ervin N. Sweeter 428

For Assessor for three years, Fred E. Fletcher, 398.

For Three Auditors for One Year. Gabriel Audoin 379. Winfield T. Davis, 363. Albert A. Ludwig 365

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For Constable for One year, George M. Wright 1114.
For School Committee for Three Years Alfred Lepien 410.
For Trustee of Town Library for Three years
Frances Clark 383, Helen Walker 354.
For Tree Warden for One Year Minot A. Bean 399.
For Sinking Fund Commissioner for Three years
William J. Quigley 410.
For Cemetery Commissioner for Three years
Bazard C. Dean 371
For Park Commissioner for Three Years
Patrick S. Ward 412.
Question on licensing the sale of liquors
Yes 146 No. 277.
At 4-50 P.M. Voted to dissolve the meeting

Walter Perham
Moderator.

Edward F. Robbins
Town Clerk

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Town Officers Elected Feb 2, 1920.

| Office | Name of Officer | When Qualified & Before whom |
|---|---|---|
| Three years Selectman | George H. Day | Feb 2, 1920 Town Clerk |
| Three years Overseer of Poor | George H. Day | Feb. 2, 1920 Town Clerk. |
| One year Selectman | James P. Dunigan | Feb. 2, 1920 Town Clerk |
| One year Overseer of Poor | James P. Dunigan | Feb. 2, 1920 Town Clerk |
| Treas. & Tax Collector | Ervin H. Sweetser | Feb. 6, 1920 Town Clerk |
| Assessor | Fred L. Fletcher | Feb. 6. 1920 Town Clerk |
| Auditors | Gabriel Audoin<br>Garfield A. Davis<br>Albert A. Ludwig | |
| Constable | George M. Wright | Feb. 7, 1920 Town Clerk. |
| Three years School Committee | Edgar J. Lupien | Feb. 4, 1920 Town Clerk. |
| Trustees of Adams Library | Frances Clark<br>Wilson Waters | |
| Tree Warden | Minot A. Bean | Feb. 5, 1920 Town Clerk |
| Sinking Fund Commissioner | William J. Quigley | |
| Cemetery Commissioner | Bayard C. Dean | |
| Park Commissioner | Patrick S. Ward. | |
| Fence Viewers | James H. Stevens<br>John H. Cogger<br>Leonard Spaulding | |
| Appraiser of Personal Prop. | Emile E. Paignon | |
| Town Farm | John F. Parker<br>Walter B. Emerson | |

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| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| | S. Waldo Parkhurst | | |
| | Frederick Tangley | | |
| Weighers of Hay | Henry N. Emerson | | |
| | Myron A. Queen | | |
| | Frank E. Bickford | | |
| | John B. Emerson | | |
| | S. Waldo Parkhurst | | |
| | Fred Tangley | | |
| | Alvin H. Fletcher | | |
| Measurers of Wood | John Dennis Jr | | |
| | Daniel A. Reardon | | |
| | Frank E. Bickford | | |
| | Myron A. Queen | | |
| | Francis O. Dutton | | |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | | |
| | Hoerner N. Sweetser | Mar. 10, 1920 | Town Clerk |
| | R. Wilson Dix | | |
| | Myron A. Queen | | |
| Surveyors of Lumber | Herbert E. Sweetser | | |
| | Alvin H. Fletcher | | |
| | Stewart Mackay | | |
| | E. Hamlin Russell | | |
| | Francis O. Dutton | | |
| | [illegible] Knight | | |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | | |
| | William E. Adams | Sept. 7, 1920 | Town Clerk |
| Field Drivers | R. Wilson Dix | | |
| | Thomas Mosling | | |
| | E. Hamelin Russell | | |
| | John J. Monahan | | |
| Finance Committee | Herbert E. Ellis | | |
| | Samuel S. Kershaw | | |
| | William H. Shedd | | |
| | Wilbur E. Lapham | | |

Officers Appointed by the Selectmen

| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Town Counsel | Frederick A. Fisher | | |
| Superintendents of Burials | Walter Perham | | |
| | George F. Cutler | | |
| | A. F. Whidden | Feb. 18, 1920 | Town Clerk |
| Supt of Burial of Indigent Soldiers & Sailors | Walter Perham | | |
| Agent of Board of Health | Arthur G. Scoboria | | |
| | F | | |
| Registrar of Voters | Samuel Kershaw | Feb. 21, 1920 | Town Clerk |
| Sealer of Weights & Measures | Curtis A. Aiken | | |
| Supt of Town Home | Arthur Burnham | | |
| Matron of Town Home | Mrs. Arthur Burnham | | |
| Supt of Moth Work | Walter Shepherd | | |
| Janitors of Public Buildings | Owen Scollin | | |
| | Curtis A. Aiken | | |
| Fish & Game Warden | Charles F. Morse | May 3, 1920 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector Animals | Arnold C. Perham | | |
| Inspector of Meats & Slaughtering | William S. Hall | | |
| Forest Fire Warden | Arnold C. Perham | | |
| Supt of Streets | Charles Forsythe | Feb. 14, 1920 | R. H. Emerson J. P. |

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Officers Appointed by Selectmen Continued

| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| | George C. Moore Sr. | | |
| | George C. Moore Jr. | Feb. 14, 1920 | W. J. Chase J.P. |
| | James Buchanan | Feb. 14, 1920 | Wm Picken J.P. |
| | Owen Scollin | | |
| Special Police | Morton B. Wright | Feb. 14, 1920 | Wm. Picken J.P. |
| Not subject | Thomas Jones | | |
| to call | John O'Brien | | |
| | Thomas Brown | | |
| | Charles O. Robbins | Mar. 25, 1920 | Town Clerk |
| | Curtis A. Aiken | | |
| | Patrick J. Welch | | |
| | Patrick Haley | | |
| | James McCluskey | | |
| | John W. Robinson | Sept. 2. 192 | H. E. Ellis J.P. |
| | Fred S. Vinal | | |
| | James A. Gookin | | |
| Special Officers | Charles F. Devine | | |
| Subject to call | George O. Spaulding | Mar. 13, 1920 | Town Clerk |
| | George Small | Mar. 15, 1920 | Town Clerk |
| | Herbert M. Sturtevant | | |
| | Isaac Knight | Feb. 24, 1920 | Town Clerk |
| | Warren Wright | | |
| | Herbert A. Vickery | | |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | | |
| Weighers | Emma L. Parkhurst | | |
| of | Frederick Tangley | | |
| Coal | J. W. Richardson | | |
| | Frank E. Bickford | | |
| | Mrs. F. E. Bickford | | |
| | James P. Dunigan | | |
| | John J. Dunigan | | |
| | John B. Emerson | | |
| | George H. Pope | Feb. 17, 1920 | W. J. Chase J.P. |

Officers Appointed by Selectmen continued

| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| | James F. Cooley | Feb 18, 1920 | [illegible] |
| | James Long | | |
| | James J. Hackett | Feb. 18 1920 | Town Clerk |
| | James F. Dunigan | | |
| Weighers | George Y. Pope | Feb 17, 1920 | W. J. Chase J.P. |
| of | Paul McGregor | Feb 14, 1920 | Wm Picken J.P. |
| Merchandise | Alfred Foster | | |
| | William Brown | | |
| | Frederick Langley | | |
| | Emma L. Pritchard | | |
| | J. W. Richardson | | |
| | Wallace McDonald | | |
| | Pearl T. Durrell | | |
| Surveyor | John A Burton | | |
| of | E. A. Vondel | | |
| Lumber | Wallace McDonald | | |
| | Edward B. Russell | Dec. 20, 1920 | Town Clerk |
| Surveyor | Homer Swetzer | Mar. 10, 1920 | Town Clerk |
| of | Erwin W. Swetzer | Feb. 6, 1920 | Town Clerk |
| Wood | Wallace McDonald | | |
| | Pearl T. Durrell | | |
| Surveyor of Sawdust | Wallace McDonald | | |
| | Moses St Onge | June 3, 1920 | Board of Road |
| | D. S. Selfridge | " | " |
| Special | Harold Selfridge | " | " |
| Constables | Michael McPhillips | " | " |
| | John F. Miller | " | " |
| | Isaac Langston | July 2, 1920 | " |

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April 27, 1920.

| Office | Name of Officer | Pre | Appointed | Qualified | By whom |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Warden | Daniel E. Haley | 1 | | Apr. 27 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | John H. Pratt | 1 | | " | " |
| Teller | Hiramer N. Swicker | 1 | | " | " |
| " | Sidney E. Dupee | 1 | | " | " |
| | Arthur M. Warren | 1 | | " | " |
| " | Arnold C. Perham | 1 | | " | " |
| " | John F. Parker | 1 | | " | " |
| " | Leo F. Fox | 1 | | " | " |
| " | Benjamin F. Heald | 1 | | " | " |
| Warden | James B. McQuade | 2 | | | |
| Clerk | Morton B. Wright | 2 | | | |
| Teller | George S. Elliott | 2 | | | |
| " | Hiram C. Gage | 2 | | | |
| " | Henry R. Garvey | 2 | | | |
| " | Myron A. Queen | 2 | | | |
| " | Michael J. Scollan | 2 | | | |
| " | Ernest H. Bridgeford | 2 | | | |
| Warden | Thomas E. Roark | 3 | | | |
| Clerk | Loren J. Ellinwood | 3 | | | |
| Teller | Edwin F. Coburn | 3 | | | |
| " | George O. Spaulding | 3 | | | |
| " | Bayard C. Dean | 3 | | | |
| Warden | Daniel A. Reardon | 4 | | | |
| Clerk | Lewis H. Jennison | 4 | | | |
| " | Charles Finnick | 4 | | | |
| " | James H. Bowden | 4 | | | |
| " | George A. McNally | 4 | | | |

Notice of Contested Seating

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| Office | Name of Candidate | Party | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| [illegible] | Henry Cabot Lodge | Rep. | 100 | 47 | 6 | 13 | 166 |
| | Frederick A. Gillett | Rep. | 88 | 29 | 4 | 8 | 127 |
| | A. Murray Crane | Rep. | 87 | 36 | 6 | 12 | 141 |
| | Edward W. Barrows | Rep. | 78 | 25 | 6 | 9 | 138 |
| [illegible] | Louis A. Frothingham | Rep. | 30 | 27 | 2 | 6 | 65 |
| | Albert E. Pillsbury | Rep. | 37 | 37 | 2 | 5 | 83 |
| | Benjamin A. Gleason | Rep. | 17 | 14 | 2 | 5 | 40 |
| | Samuel A. McCall | Rep. | 40 | 36 | 2 | 6 | 84 |
| | Lowell M. Hand | Rep. | 23 | 17 | 1 | 5 | 48 |
| [illegible] | Esther Lord | Rep. | 98 | 57 | 8 | 12 | 175 |
| | Jonathan Bourne | Rep. | 85 | 48 | 7 | 9 | 146 |
| | Gustavus A. Drew | Rep. | 86 | 48 | 8 | 8 | 150 |
| | Herbert M. Nelson | Rep. | 85 | 44 | 7 | 8 | 144 |
| [illegible] | Frank A. Wentworth | Rep. | 97 | 54 | 8 | 10 | 161 |
| | Charles A. Thomas | Rep. | 78 | 52 | 6 | 10 | 146 |
| | Samuel Pfeiffer | Rep. | 40 | 9 | 3 | 5 | 57 |
| [illegible] | Kendall B. Corby | Rep. | 69 | 51 | 7 | 9 | 136 |
| | Wilford B. Cheney | Rep. | 72 | 46 | 7 | 8 | 133 |
| | Lemuel Hammond | Rep. | 21 | 7 | 2 | 6 | 38 |

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| Office | Name of Candidate | Party | Ward No. 1 | Pre 2 | Pre 3 | Pre 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | [illegible] | Dem | 8 | 2 | 2 | [illegible] | 27 |
| Delegates | [illegible] | Dem | 6 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 27 |
| at | [illegible] | Dem | 8 | 11 | 2 | 5 | 23 |
| Large | [illegible] | Dem | 5 | 11 | 2 | 6 | 24 |
| | [illegible] | Dem | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| Alternate | Susan H. Fitzgerald | Dem. | 3 | 10 | 2 | 4 | 19 |
| Delegates | Mary A. Carson | Dem. | 3 | 10 | 2 | 4 | 19 |
| at | Mrs. Keegan Sherman | Dem. | 4 | 10 | 2 | 4 | 20 |
| Large | [illegible] | Dem. | 11 | 10 | 2 | 4 | 27 |
| District Del- | Humphrey O'Sullivan | Dem. | 7 | 13 | 2 | 6 | 28 |
| egates | Joseph P. Donahue | Dem. | 5 | 12 | 2 | 6 | 25 |
| Alternate | Katherine F. McCarthy | Dem. | 5 | 10 | 2 | 4 | 21 |
| Dist. Delegates | Anna Loretta Mc[illegible] | Dem | 4 | 10 | 2 | 4 | 20 |

Recorded by
Edward J. Collins
Asst. Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex SS

To the Constable of the Town of Chelmsford, in said County Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall in said Chelmsford on Friday, the fourteenth day of May current at eight o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Article 1 To choose a Moderator.

Article 2 To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150.00) with which to pay the balance of salaries due the late D. Frank Small for services during the year 1919 as a Town Officer; or act in relation thereto.

Article 3 To see if the Town will accept the provisions of Chapter 240 of the Acts of 1920 entitled "An Act to Permit, under Public Regulation and Control, certain Sports and Games on the Lords Day", or act in relation thereto.

Article 4 To see if the Town, for the purpose of establishing precinct voting for their annual Town elections and for voting on the question of granting licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors, will accept the provisions of Section 121 of Chapter 533 of the Acts of 1913 as amended by Section 27 of Chapter 291 of the Acts of 1918, or otherwise amended, or act in relation thereto.

Article 5. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate an additional sum not exceeding three thousand dollars ($3000.) for general highway purposes; or act in relation thereto.

Article 6 To see if the Town will vote to purchase two motor trucks as a part of the equipment of the Highway Department, or act

and not to exceed the sum of nine thousand dollars ($9000.) and will raise and appropriate therefor the sum of thirteen hundred dollars ($1300.) and borrow the balance for a period not exceeding five years; or act in relation thereto.

Article 7. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation at the prevailing price per light for an additional light on Bartlett Street, or act in relation thereto.

Article 8. To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to procure plans and specifications for a suitable monument to be placed upon the Common at North Chelmsford in memory of Egbert F. Tetley and Albert W. Vinal, the two men from Chelmsford who lost their lives in the military service of the United States during the World War, and to report with an estimate of the probable cost of such monument, at some future meeting; or act in relation thereto.

Article 9. To see if the Town will elect, from and after the current year 1920, a Board of Health consisting of three members as provided by law; or act in relation thereto.

Article 10. To hear the report of the Special Committee appointed under Article 15 of the warrant for the last Annual Town Meeting to procure plans for the erection of a school house of four rooms at the Westlands, and to see if the Town will vote to raise or borrow and appropriate a sum not exceeding seven thousand dollars ($7000.) for the purpose of purchasing the Carlon property, so called, located at the Westlands for a school house site; or act in relation thereto.

Article 11. In the event of affirmative action under the preceding Article, to see if the Town will raise or borrow and appropriate a sum not exceeding fifty thousand dollars ($50000.)

with which to build and equip a four room school house on the Curtin property at the Westlands, and appoint a Building Committee, or act in relation thereto.

Article 12 To receive the report of the Special Committee appointed at a previous Town Meeting to investigate the water supply at the East Chelmsford School and at the South Chelmsford School, and to see if the Town will raise or borrow and appropriate any and if any, what, sum of money not exceeding twenty-five hundred dollars ($2500) for the purpose of supplying these schools with water; or act in relation thereto.

Article 13 To see what action, if any, the Town will take relative to the reopening of the North Row School, so called, or act in relation thereto

And You Are Directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at Post Offices in the Center of the town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, West Chelmsford and at the School House, East Chelmsford seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Hereof fail Not: and make return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this sixth day of May in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty.

William E. Belleville
George H. Day
James P. Dunigan
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing Warrant by posting up true and attested copies of the same at the places above mentioned more than seven days before the day of holding said meeting.

George M. Wright
Constable of Chelmsford.

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At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant at the Town Hall Center Village Tuesday evening May 4, 1920 at eight o'clock P.M. the following business was transacted to wit.
The meeting was called to order and the Warrant read by the Town Clerk.
Under Article 1 to choose a Moderator, Stewart Mackay was unanimously elected, the check list being used and the oath of office administered by the Town Clerk.
Under Article 2 voted that the Town appropriate the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars with which to pay the balance of salaries due the late D. Frank Small for services during the year 1919 as a Town Officer.
Under Article 3 a motion that the Town accept the provisions of Chapter 240 of the Acts of 1920. was defeated by a standing vote. 103 voted in favor and 118 opposed. Patrick S. Ward and Alyce J. Lupien were chosen and sworn as tellers to determine the vote.
Under Article 4 a motion to establish precinct voting for the annual election of the town officers and on the question of licensing the sale of intoxicating liquors, was defeated on voice vote.
Under Article 5. voted that the Town raise and appropriate an additional sum of Three Thousand Dollars for general highway purposes.
Under Article 6 Voted that the Town authorize and direct the Board of Selectmen to purchase, as a part of the equipment of the Highway Department, two motor trucks of such capacity and make as they may approve, at a cost not to exceed in all the sum of Nine Thousand Dollars, and that the Town raise and appropriate therefor the sum of Thirteen Hundred Dollars and borrow the balance at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, and issue

therefor five promissory notes each for the principal sum of one-fifth of the total amount borrowed, payable at the expiration of one, two, three, four, and five years from the date thereof, such note or notes to be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by a majority of the Board of Selectmen. 231 voted in favor and none opposed.

Under Article 7 Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation for one additional light to be located on Bartlett Street.

Under Article 8. Voted that the Rev. E. Ambrose Jenkins, Mark Brigham and John J Monahan be appointed a Committee to procure plans and specifications for a suitable monument to be placed upon the Common at North Chelmsford in memory of Egbert F. Tetley and Alberton H. Vinal, the two men from Chelmsford who lost their lives in the military service of the United States during the World War, and report at some future Town meeting not later than the Annual Meeting of 1921.

Under Article 9 Voted that the Town elect a Board of Health consisting of three members as provided by law, at the next annual Town election, and so continuing from year to year until further action of the Town.

Under Article 10. relative to the purchase of land for the school house site at the Westlands the article was indefinately postponed.

Under Article 11. relative to borrowing money for the erection of a new four room school house at the Westlands the article was indefinately postponed. It was voted that the matter be referred to a special committee consisting of the members of the Finance Committee and the School Committee and that they report at a meeting to be held within thirty days.

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Under Article 12 The Committee appointed to investigate the water supply at the East Chelmsford School and at the South Chelmsford School reported the need of an appropriation for improving the existing conditions. It was voted to refer the matter back to the same committee they to report at the next town meeting.

Under Article 13 On an amended motion that the North Row School be reopened, the matter was left in the hands of a special committee consisting of the Finance Committee and the School Committee.

At 10.20 P.M. voted to dissolve the meeting

Stewart Mackay
Moderator.

Edward J. Robbins
Town Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex S.S.

To the Constable of the Town of Chelmsford in said County.

Greeting:

In the name of the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall at Chelmsford Center, on Friday, the eleventh day of June current at eight o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Article 1 To choose a Moderator.

Article 2 To hear the report of the School Committee upon a survey which they have recently made of school conditions in the town of Chelmsford, and their recommendations based thereon, and see what action, if any, the Town will take relative thereto.

Article 3 To hear the report of the Committee appointed at a special meeting held on May 11, 1920 to investigate and report on school conditions at the Westlands, and see what action, if any, the Town will take relative thereto.

Article 4 To see if the Town will vote to enlarge the Golden Cove schoolhouse by the addition of one school room, and will raise or borrow and appropriate a sum not exceeding Sixteen Thousand Dollars therefor and appoint a building committee; or act in relation thereto.

Article 5 To see if the Town will vote to build a four room schoolhouse at the Westlands, so called, at an expense not exceeding Sixty-two Thousand Dollars and appoint a building Committee; or act in relation thereto.

Article 6 To see if the Town will vote to purchase additional land for schoolhouse purposes at the Westlands and will raise or borrow and appropriate a sum not exceeding Six Thousand Dollars therefor; or act in relation thereto

Article 7 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding One Thousand Dollars for additional school furniture; or act in relation thereto.

Article 8 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Dollars with which to pay the salary of additional teachers; or act in relation thereto.

Article 9 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding Fifteen Hundred Dollars with which to pay the additional cost of fuel and janitor service at the Town Hall and at the Golden Ball school house; or act in relation thereto.

Article 10 To see if the Town will raise or borrow and appropriate a sum of money not exceeding Forty Five Hundred Dollars with which to purchase a portable school house, so called, for the use of the Town; or act in relation thereto.

Article 11 To receive the report of the Special Committee appointed at a previous Town meeting to investigate the water supply at the East Chelmsford School and at the South Chelmsford School, and to see if the Town will raise or borrow and appropriate any and if any, what, sum of money not exceeding Twenty-four Hundred Dollars for the purpose of supplying these schools with water; or act in relation thereto.

Article 12 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate any and if any, what sum of money with which to erect a permanent band stand on the Common at Chelmsford Center; or act in relation thereto.

Article 13 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate any and if any, what sum of money to pay the Chelmsford Band for concerts during the summer season of 1920; or act in relation thereto.

Article 14 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sufficient sum with which to purchase a suitable flag for North Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

And You Are Directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at Post Offices

in the Center of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, West Chelmsford, and at the School House, East Chelmsford, seven days at least upon the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant, with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this third day of June in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty

William [illegible]
George A. Day
James P. Dempsey
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have warned the foregoing warrant by posting up true and attested copies of the same at the places above mentioned more than seven days before the day of holding said meeting.

George M. Wright
Constable of Chelmsford.

1920

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs pursuant to Warrant at the Town Hall Center Village Monday evening June 11, 1920 at eight o'clock P.M. the following business was transacted to wit: The meeting was called to order and the Warrant read by the Town Clerk.

Under Article 1 to choose a Moderator, Walter Robson was unanimously elected, the check list being used and the oath of office administered by the Town Clerk.

Under Article 2 a survey of school conditions and recommendations based thereon was presented to the meeting by the School Committee which survey was placed on file. It was voted under this article that a committee of three consisting of G. George Armstrong, Carroll Monahan and John T. Sullivan be appointed to prepare plans and specifications for a twelve room school building at the center and to report at the next Annual Town Meeting. Arthur J. Lynnan and Herbert E. Ellis were chosen and sworn as tellers and the vote as taken was 65 in favor and 5 opposed.

Under Article 3 a report of the committee appointed on May 17, 1920 to investigate and report on school conditions at the Westlands was presented. It was voted that the report be placed on file and the committee discharged.

Under Article 4 it was voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $1500 for the purchase of a portable school house, so called, to be added to the present school building at Golden Cove.

Under Article 5 voted that the sum of $510. be raised and appropriated for the purpose of procuring plans and specifications for a four room school building at the Westlands and that a building committee be appointed by the selectmen to report at the next Annual

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Under Article 6 Voted that the sum of $[illegible] be raised and appropriated for the purchase of land owned by J. Alvin Bartlett adjoining the Center land for school purposes at the Westlands. The money to be spent by the building committee to be appointed.

Under Article 7 Voted that the sum of $[illegible] be raised and appropriated for additional school furniture. The same to be expended by the School Committee.

Under Article 8 Voted that the sum of $[illegible] be raised and appropriated with which to pay the salary of additional teachers. The money to be expended by the School Committee.

Under Article 9 Voted that the sum of $1500. be raised and appropriated for the additional cost of fuel and janitor service at the Town Hall and at the Golden Cross school

Under Article 10. Relative to borrowing money for the purchase of a portable school house. the purpose of the article were defeated. It was voted that the sense of the meeting be that the lower town hall at Chelmsford Center be used for school purposes

Under Article 11. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of twenty five hundred dollars for the purpose of supplying the school houses at East Chelmsford and South Chelmsford with water and that the money be expended by a committee to be appointed at this meeting with full power. Harry Shedd, Milbur E. Lapham and Joseph E. Hasen were appointed upon this committee.

Under Article 12 Relative to raising money for a band stand on the Common at Chelmsford Center, the article was dismissed.

Under Article 13 Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $125. and $50. for transportation with which to pay the Chelmsford Band for five concerts during the summer

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of 1920, the same to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

Under Article 14 Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $30. with which to purchase a suitable flag for North Chelmsford, and that the same be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

At 11-30 P.M. voted to dissolve the meeting

Walter Perham
Moderator

Edward J. Rollins
Town Clerk

Sworn Officers Appointed for State Primaries held Sept. 7. 1920 and State Election Nov. 1920

| Office | Name of Officer | Pre. | Appointed | Qualified | By whom |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Warden | Daniel E. Haley | 1 | | Sept. 7. | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | John H. Crall | 1 | | | |
| Teller | Homer W. Sweetser | 1 | | | |
| " | Sidney E. Dupee | 1 | | | |
| " | Arthur M. Warren | 1 | | | |
| " | Arnold C. Perham | 1 | | | |
| " | John F. Parker | 1 | | | |
| " | Benjamin F. Heald | 1 | | | |
| Warden | James B. McQuaid | 2 | | | |
| Clerk | Morton B. Wright | 2 | | | |
| Teller | George S. Elliott | 2 | | | |
| " | Hiram C. Gage | 2 | | | |
| " | Henry J. Young | 2 | | | |
| " | Alpron A. Queen | 2 | | | |
| " | Michael L. Scollan | 2 | | | |
| " | Ernest M. Bridgeford | 2 | | | |
| Warden | Thomas E. Roark | 3 | | | |
| Clerk | Loren J. Kimwood | 3 | | | |
| Teller | Edwin F. Coburn | 3 | | | |
| " | George O. Spaulding | 3 | | | Town Clerk |
| " | Bayard C. Dean | 3 | | | |
| Warden | Daniel P. Reardon | 4 | | | |
| Clerk | Lewis H. Jennison | 4 | | | |
| Teller | Charles Fennick | 4 | | | |
| " | James H. Bowden | 4 | | | |
| " | George A. McNulty | 4 | | | |

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At a legal meeting held Sept. 7, 1920 at the four precincts of the Town of Chelmsford in conformity with the provisions of Chapter 550 of Acts of 1911 the following candidates for nomination received the number of votes set against their respective names.

| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | Pct. 1 | Pct. 2 | Pct. 3 | Pct. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Democratic Town Committee | John E. Harrington | Dem | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | John Daley | Dem | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Daniel E. Daley | Dem | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | William H. Quigley | Dem | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | James B. McQuade | Dem | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Frank J. Garvey | Dem | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Del. to State Convention | John E. Harrington | Dem | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| | [illegible] | Dem | 0 | | 0 | | 1 |
| Country Committeeman | Arthur H. Colburn | Rep | 147 | 79 | 10 | 15 | 251 |
| | Alfred L. Cutting | Rep | 84 | 51 | 8 | 6 | 157 |
| | George A. Goodwin | Rep | 37 | 14 | 3 | 2 | 56 |
| | Walter C. Wardwell | Rep | 57 | 23 | 8 | 5 | 93 |
| " | John R. Fairbairn | Rep | 193 | 84 | 6 | 15 | 308 |
| Delegates to State Convention | Charles A. Bartlett | Rep | 84 | 75 | 15 | 16 | 290 |
| | Edward J. Robbins | Rep | 179 | 80 | 14 | 16 | 289 |
| " | Walter Perham | Rep | 176 | 74 | 16 | 17 | 283 |
| Dist. Member of State Committee | George H. Day | Rep | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| | James P. Dunigan | Dem | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Republican Town Committee | Benjamin Cole | Rep | 12 | | | | 12 |
| | George Rigby | Rep | 11 | | | | 11 |
| | Elias Dela Haye | Rep | 11 | 0 | | | 11 |
| | Fred L. Fletcher | Rep | 15 | | | | 15 |
| | Sinai Lunard | Rep | 14 | | | | 14 |
| | Ernest E. Paugnon | Rep | 11 | | | | |
| | Walter H. Thurston | Rep | 13 | | | | 13 |
| | Herbert C. Sweetser | Rep | 15 | | | | 15 |
| | Walter Perham | Rep | 15 | | | | 15 |
| Total Number of Votes Cast in each precinct | Republican | | 218 | 98 | 18 | 20 | |
| | Democratic | | 6 | 19 | 2 | 17 | |
| | Total | | 224 | 117 | 20 | 37 | 3[illegible] |

Result of Primary Feb 24 1920

| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Governor | Channing H. Cox | Rep. | 190 | 82 | 6 | 7 | 285 |
| | Richard H. Long | Dem | [illegible] | 3 | 1 | [illegible] | 11 |
| | John J. Walsh | Dem. | 3 | 12 | 2 | 11 | 28 |
| Lieutenant Governor | Charles L. Burrill | Rep. | 42 | 31 | 5 | 4 | 82 |
| | Alvan T. Fuller | Rep. | 29 | 27 | 1 | 5 | 62 |
| " | Albert P. Langtry | Rep. | 52 | 17 | 1 | 4 | 74 |
| " | Joseph E. Warner | Rep. | 82 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 93 |
| " | Michael A. Kenny | Dem | 3 | 17 | 2 | 10 | 32 |
| Secretary | Frank W. Bacon | Rep. | 39 | 27 | 4 | 1 | 71 |
| " | Frederic H. Gooch | Rep. | 41 | 15 | 3 | 2 | 61 |
| " | Samuel W. George | Rep. | 36 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 46 |
| " | James G. Harris | Rep. | 37 | 13 | 2 | 0 | 52 |
| " | Russell A. Wood | Rep. | 44 | 7 | 1 | 5 | 57 |
| " | Charles H. McGlue | Dem. | 4 | 16 | 2 | 12 | 34 |
| Treasurer | Fred J. Burrell | Rep. | 35 | 24 | 5 | 6 | 70 |
| " | James J. Jackson | Rep. | 148 | 67 | 6 | 1 | 222 |
| " | Patrick O'Hearn | Dem | 3 | 17 | 2 | 13 | 35 |
| Auditor | Walter P. Babb | Rep. | 46 | 24 | 4 | 4 | 78 |
| " | Alonzo B. Cook | Rep. | 152 | 64 | 13 | 15 | 244 |
| " | Alice E. Cram | Dem | 3 | 15 | 2 | 13 | 33 |
| Atty General | J. Weston Allen | Rep. | 195 | 87 | 17 | 16 | 315 |
| " | Michael L. Sullivan | Dem. | 2 | 16 | 2 | 13 | 33 |
| Congressman | John Jacob Rogers | Rep. | 186 | 29 | 13 | 16 | 274 |
| " | Bernard J. Golden | Dem | 4 | 15 | 2 | 13 | 34 |
| Councillor | Smith J. Adams | Rep. | 35 | 29 | 4 | 8 | 76 |
| " | Edward W. Berry | Rep. | 2 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 13 |
| " | Edward B. Eames | Rep. | 19 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 28 |
| " | Fred O. Lewis | Rep. | 15 | 10 | 7 | 6 | 43 |
| " | Charles Sumner Smith | Rep. | 50 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 64 |
| Senator | E. Loxton Campbell | Rep. | 32 | 32 | 4 | 4 | 72 |
| " | Frank H. Putnam | Rep. | 173 | 13 | 12 | 15 | 213 |
| " | John T. Sparks | Dem | 3 | 17 | 2 | [illegible] | 31 |
| Representative | Alfred T. Hurlford | Rep. | 192 | 8[illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | 3[illegible] |

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At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 2, 1920 for the purpose of giving in their votes for Electors of President and Vice President of the United States

| Candidates | | No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 | No. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cox & Roosevelt | (D.) | 1[illegible] | 180 | [illegible] | 50 | 317 |
| Cox & Gillhaus | (Soc Labor) | 2 | 4 | [illegible] | 1 | 7 |
| Debs & Stedman | (Socialist) | [illegible] | 11 | 24 | 5 | 41 |
| Harding & Coolidge | (Rep) | 500 | 479 | [illegible] | 91 | 1452 |
| Blanks | | 11 | 20 | [illegible] | 3 | 38 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 889 | 694 | 130 | [illegible] | 1163 |

Recorded by
Edward J. Robbins
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

We hereby certify that the following is a true copy of the record of the votes cast on Nov. 2, 1920 for the purpose of voting on their votes for Governor and Lieutenant Governor for the following persons namely

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Governor | | Ward 1 | Ward 2 | Ward 3 | Ward 4 | Total |
| Channing H. Cox of Boston | R | 151 | 124 | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Allen S. Hutchins of Greenfield | Soc. | 8 | 7 | 22 | 3 | 40 |
| Patrick Mulligan of Boston | Soc. Labor | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| Cheney C. Crosby of Boston | | [illegible] | 214 | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Blanks | | 36 | 17 | 8 | 8 | 78 |
| Total number of ballots | | 551 | 374 | 236 | 158 | 1863 |

Recorded by
Edward L. Rollins
Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 2, 1920 for the purpose of casting their votes for a Lieutenant Governor and votes for the following persons respectively

| Candidates | | Ward 1 | Ward 2 | Ward 3 | Ward 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Samuel W. Coolidge of Pittsfield | (R) | 71 | 208 | 18 | 54 | 354 |
| Samuel Levy of Milford | (Soc. Labor) | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 6 |
| Edward T. Taylor of Boston | (D) | 219 | 419 | 77 | 56 | 1271 |
| Thomas Nicholson of Chatham | (Soc.) | 9 | 8 | 22 | 3 | 42 |
| Robert M. Strachan of Boston | (Independent) | 40 | 7 | 3 | 1 | 51 |
| Blanks | | 47 | 48 | 8 | 36 | 139 |
| Total number of ballots | | 889 | 694 | 130 | 150 | 1863 |

Attested by
Edward J. Collins
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the town of Wakefield held [illegible] for the purpose of voting on candidates for Secretary of the Commonwealth and one for the following [illegible]

| Candidates | | Ward 1 | Ward 2 | Ward 3 | Ward 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Frederick H. Cook of Somerville | (R) | 776 | 437 | [illegible] | 74 | 1367 |
| Edward E. Ginsburg of Brookline | (D) | 52 | 178 | 15 | 37 | 282 |
| Anthony Hautenbrink of Boston (Soc. Labor) | | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 7 |
| Edith M. Williams of Brookline | (Soc) | 8 | 5 | [illegible] | 3 | 16 |
| Blanks | | 52 | 70 | 11 | 3[illegible] | 167 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 887 | 694 | [illegible] | [illegible] | 1863 |

Recorded by
Edward F. [illegible]
town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

[illegible] qualified voters of the Town of [illegible] held [illegible] 1920 for the purpose of [illegible] for Treasurer of the Commonwealth [illegible] for the following persons namely.

| | | Ward 1 | Ward 2 | Ward 3 | Ward 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cooper Jackson of Lynn | (Citizen) | 11 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 22 |
| James Jackson of Ireland | (R) | 171 | 417 | 77 | 72 | 1339 |
| Louis Marcus of Boston | (Soc.) | 10 | 9 | 11 | 4 | 42 |
| Thomas C. Hamm of Boston | (D) | 47 | 196 | 18 | 46 | 307 |
| Albert E. Patterson of Boston | (Soc. Lab.) | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| Blanks | | 50 | 60 | 12 | 28 | 150 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 889 | 674 | 30 | 150 | 1863 |

Recorded by
Edward J. Rollins
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held on [illegible] for the purpose of voting on their votes for [illegible] Clerk of the Commonwealth and voted for the following persons namely

| Candidates | | No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 | No. 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alonzo H. Cook of Boston | (R) | 754 | 427 | 77 | 41 | 1,339 |
| Alice E. Cram of Boston | (D) | 66 | 186 | 18 | 48 | 318 |
| Stephen J. Surridge of Lynn | (Soc. Labor) | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 5 |
| Herbert H. Thompson of Haverhill | (Soc.) | 10 | 6 | 19 | 2 | 37 |
| Blanks | | 54 | 71 | 16 | 39 | 178 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 887 | 674 | 130 | 132 | 1863 |

Attested by
Edward J. Robins
Town Clerk

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[illegible] of Massachusetts

[illegible] qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 2, 1920 for the purpose [illegible] their votes for an Attorney-General [illegible] Commonwealth and were for the following [illegible]

| Candidates | | Pre. 1 | Pre 2 | Pre 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alston Allen of Newton | (R.) | 758 | 418 | 79 | 73 | 1328 |
| Morris L. Becker of Boston | (Soc. Labor) | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 |
| John Francis Sherman of Boston | (Soc) | 11 | 6 | 20 | 3 | 40 |
| Michael J. Sullivan of Salem | (D) | 51 | 194 | 16 | 51 | 312 |
| Blanks | | 19 | 75 | 13 | 23 | 180 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 889 | 694 | 130 | 150 | 1863 |

Recorded by
Edward J. Robbins
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the town of Chelmsford held Nov. 2, 1920 for the purpose of casting in their votes for Congressman for the Fifth District were for the following named men

| Candidates | | Ward 1 | Ward 2 | Ward 3 | Ward 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Frederick Elmer of Lowell | (D) | 60 | 192 | 31 | 47 | 332 |
| John Jacob Rogers of Lowell | (R) | 793 | 463 | 87 | 90 | 1433 |
| Blanks | | 36 | 39 | 7 | 16 | 98 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 889 | 694 | 130 | 150 | 1863 |

Recorded by
Edward [illegible]
Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a special meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 2, 1920 for the purpose of casting their votes for a Councillor for the Sixth District and one for the following persons namely

| Candidates | | No. 1 | No. 2 | Pct. 3 | Pct. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Charles Sumner Smith of Lowell | Rep | 775 | 439 | 84 | 81 | 1379 |
| Blanks | | 114 | 255 | 46 | 19 | 484 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 889 | 694 | 130 | 150 | 1863 |

Recorded by
Edward J. Robbins
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting of the [illegible] of Chelmsford held Nov. 2, 1920 for the purpose of [illegible] in their votes for a Senator for the Eighth Middlesex District and were for the following persons namely

| Candidates | Ward 1 | Ward 2 | Ward 3 | Ward 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Frank H. Putnam of Lowell | 761 | 417 | [illegible] | [illegible] | 1331 |
| John T. Sparks of Tyngsboro | 77 | 227 | [illegible] | 60 | 291 |
| Blanks | 51 | 50 | 26 | 14 | 141 |
| Whole number of ballots | 889 | 694 | 130 | 150 | 1863 |

Recorded by
Edward [illegible]
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

To a Legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Milford held March 8, 1910 for the purpose of voting on their vote for Representative in the General Court for the Representative District Comprising Milford in Worcester County and vote for the following person namely

| Candidate | No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 | No. 4 | Votes |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alfred A. Walford of Milford | (R) 774 | 455 | 57 | 51 | 1399 |
| Blanks | 115 | 239 | 41 | 69 | 464 |
| Whole number of ballots | 889 | 694 | 98 | 120 | 1863 |

Recorded by
Edward J. Robbins
town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the town of Chelmsford held Nov. 2, 1920 for the purpose of casting in their votes for Two County Commissioners in Middlesex County and voted for the following named

| Candidates | | Ward 1 | Ward 2 | Ward 3 | Ward 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alfred L. Collins of Weston | (R) | 721 | 429 | 16 | 42 | 1208 |
| Walter C. Hardwell - Cambridge | (R) | 578 | 333 | 56 | 41 | 1008 |
| Blank | | 179 | 626 | 129 | 216 | 1150 |
| Whole number of ballots | | 1778 | 1388 | 260 | 300 | 3726 |

Recorded by
Edward F. Robbins
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov 2, 1920 for the purpose of voting on their votes for Sheriff of Middlesex County and were for the following persons namely

| Candidates | Ward 1 | Ward 2 | Ward 3 | Ward 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| John H. Kurbaum of Cambridge (D) | 681 | 91 | 76 | 84 | 1260 |
| Blanks | 208 | 75 | 54 | 66 | 603 |
| Whole number of ballots | 889 | 166 | 130 | 150 | 1863 |

Attested by
Edward J. Worthen
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Clifford held Nov. 2, 1920 for the purpose of giving in their votes upon the following question:- "Shall an act entitled "An Act to regulate the Manufacture and Sale of Beer, Cider and Light Wines" and in which it is provided that all beverages containing not less than one half per cent and not more than [illegible] per cent of alcohol by weight at sixty degrees Fahrenheit shall be deemed not to be intoxicating liquor, which act passed the House of Representatives by a vote of 121 in favor and 67 against, and passed the Senate by a vote of 26 in favor and 6 against, and was thereafter vetoed by His Excellency the Governor, and failed of passage in the Senate over the said veto by a vote of 14 in favor and 22 against, be approved?"

| Candidates | No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 | No. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 178 | 245 | 31 | 37 | 511 |
| No | 539 | 325 | 71 | 63 | 1000 |
| Blanks | 172 | 117 | 28 | 31 | 348 |
| Whole number of ballots | 889 | 694 | 130 | 150 | 1863 |

Recorded by

Edward J. O'Neill

Town Clerk

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Result of Balloting for Representative in the General Court Eleventh Middlesex District at State Election Nov. 2. 1920.

| | Acton | Bedford | Carlisle | Chelmsford | Littleton | Tyngsboro | Westford | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alfred N. Hartford of Westford (R) | 672 | 382 | 143 | 1399 | 373 | 293 | 535 | 3797 |
| Scattering | | | | | | | | 2 |
| Blanks | 137 | 122 | 30 | 464 | 75 | 34 | 156 | 1018 |
| Total number of ballots | 809 | 504 | 173 | 1863 | 448 | 327 | 693 | 4817 |

Frank E. Little Town Clerk of Acton
Abbott R. Webber " " " Bedford
William Foss Jr. " " " Carlisle
Edward E. Robbins " " " Chelmsford
Eliot McYoung " " " Littleton
Charles N. Littlehale " " " Tyngsboro
Charles E. Tuttle " " " Westford

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss.

To Isaac H. Knight, a Special Police Officer of the Town of Chelmsford: Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall in Chelmsford Centre, on Friday, the seventeenth day of December current, at eight o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Article 1 To choose a Moderator.

Article 2 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Town Accountant, as provided in Section 1, Chapter 624, of the Acts of 1910, as amended by Chapter 252 of the Acts of 1916; or act in relation thereto.

Article 3 In the event of affirmative action under Article 2, to see if the Town will fix the salary of the Town Accountant; or act in relation thereto.

Article 4 To see if the Town will vote to abolish the office of Town Auditor, as provided in Section 1, Chapter 624 of the Acts of 1910, as amended by Chapter 252 of the Acts of 1916; or act in relation thereto.

Article 5 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to transfer the unexpended appropriations made at the last annual Town meeting for certain special streets to the General Highway Fund, or act in relation thereto.

Article 6 To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to investigate and report at the next annual Town meeting upon the advisability of selling the Town Farm; or act in relation thereto.

Article 7 To see if the Town will, for the purpose of establishing precinct voting for their annual Town election and for voting on the question of granting licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors, accept the provisions of Section 121 Chapter 533 of the Acts of 1913, as amended by Section 22, Chapter 29 of the Acts of 1918, or otherwise amended, or act in relation thereto.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote, as provided in Section 397 Chapter 835 of the Acts of 1913, for the election at the next annual Town meeting, and thereafter from year to year until further action of the Town, of a Moderator to preside for the term of one year at all Town meetings except those for the election of State officers or act in relation thereto.

Article 9 To see if the Town will vote that the sum of Five Hundred and Ten Dollars raised and appropriated under Article 5 of the warrant for a special Town meeting held June 11, 1920, shall be used and appropriated for the purpose of meeting the expenses incurred by a Building Committee appointed at the annual Town meeting of 1920 to procure plans and specifications for a four-room school building at the Westlands; or act in relation thereto.

And you are Directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at Post Offices in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, West Chelmsford, and at the School House, East Chelmsford, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this sixth day of December in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty.

William E. Belleville
George W. Day
James P. Dunigan
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Isaac H. Knight
Special Police officer of the Town of Chelmsford

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs pursuant to Warrant at the Town Hall, Center Village, Friday evening Dec. 17, 1920 at eight o'clock P.M. the following business was transacted to wit: The meeting was called to order and the Warrant read by the Town Clerk.

Under Article 1, to choose a Moderator, Walter Graham was unanimously elected, the check list was used and the oath of office administered by the Town Clerk.

Under Article 2, it was voted that the Selectmen be and they hereby are authorized to appoint a Town Accountant, as provided in Section 1, Chapter 624, of the Acts of 1910, as amended by Chapter 202 of the Acts of 1916, to hold office from and after the date of the election of the Town officers for the year 1921.

Under Article 3 voted that until further action of this Town the Town Accountant receive a salary at a rate not exceeding eighteen hundred dollars per year.

Under Article 4. Voted that the office of Town Auditor be and the same hereby is abolished as of Jan. 31, 1921.

Under Article 5, Voted that the Selectmen be and they hereby are authorized to transfer the unexpended appropriations made at the last Annual Town meeting for Acton, Concord, Billerica, Princeton, Steadman, Hartford, Crown and Dunstable Streets to the General Highway Fund, and to expend the money for the purpose of such fund.

Under Article 6. Voted that the Town appoint a committee consisting of three members to investigate and report at the next annual Town meeting upon the advisability of selling the Town Farm, with such recommendations, if any, as they may see fit to make, and the committee to be the present Selectmen.

Under Article 7. Voted that for the purpose of establishing precinct voting at the annual Town elections and for voting on the question of voting on the question of granting licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors the Town accept the provisions of Section one Chapter 500 of the Acts of 1918 as amended by Section 29, Chapter 291 of the Acts of 1918, or otherwise amended.

Under Article 8 Voted that at the next Annual Town meeting and thereafter from year to year until otherwise voted by the Town, a Moderator be elected for the term of one year to preside at all Town Meetings except those for the election of State officers as provided in Section 397, Chapter 835 of the Acts of 1913.

Under Article 9. Voted that the sum of Five Hundred and Ten Dollars raised and appropriated under Article 3 of the warrant for the special Town meeting held June 9, 1920, shall be used and appropriated for the purpose of meeting the expenses incurred by a Building Committee consisting of Fullerton Carll, Josiah E. Marshall and Edward L. Stearns appointed at the Annual Town meeting of 1920 to procure plans and specifications for a four-room school building at the Woodlands, as was originally intended.

At 10-10 P.M. voted to dissolve the meeting.

Walter Graham
Moderator

Edward L. Robbins
Town Clerk

| Office | Name of Officer | [illegible] |
|---|---|---|
| Warden | Daniel [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Clerk | John H. [illegible] | 1 |
| Teller | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| " | George [illegible] | [illegible] |
| " | Sidney C. [illegible] | 1 |
| " | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| " | [illegible] | 1 |
| " | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| " | Edith A. Verham | 1 |
| " | Annie B. [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Warden | James W. [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Clerk | [illegible] | 2 |
| Teller | George [illegible] | 2 |
| " | Hiram C. [illegible] | [illegible] |
| " | [illegible] | 2 |
| " | Michael A. O'Brien | [illegible] |
| " | Mary K. Daley | [illegible] |
| " | Mary A. Garvey | 2 |
| " | Georgia M. Queen | 2 |
| " | Minnie A. Blakeslee | 2 |
| Warden | Thomas [illegible] | 3 |
| Clerk | Lorin J. Ellinwood | 3 |
| Teller | Bayard C. Dean | 3 |
| " | George J. Nerd | 3 |
| " | Catherine A. Ainey | 3 |
| " | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Warden | [illegible] | 4 |
| Clerk | Lewis N. Jennison | [illegible] |
| Teller | George A. McNulty | 4 |
| " | Lydia S. Sam | 4 |
| " | Minnie M. Deane | 4 |
| " | [illegible] | [illegible] |

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester SS.

To [illegible] a Special Police Officer of the Town of Whitinsville:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify and warn the legal voters of said Whitinsville to meet in their several [illegible] at

[illegible] Town Hall, Memorial Centre.

[illegible] Town Hall, North Uxbridge.

[illegible] Technical High School, Grove St. Whitinsville.

[illegible] Tuesday, the Seventh day of February, 1921, being the first Monday in said month, at 12 o'clock noon, for the following purpose:

To bring in their votes for the following officers:

[illegible] for 1 year.

Town Clerk for 3 years.

1 Selectman for 3 years.

1 Overseer of Poor for 3 years.

1 Assessor for 3 years.

[illegible] Board of Assessors for 1 year.

1 member of Board of Health for 3 years.

1 Member of Board of Health for 2 years.

1 Member of Board of Health for 1 year.

1 [illegible] for 3 years.

1 School Committeeman for 3 years.

1 School Committeeman for 2 years.

2 Trustees of Uxbridge Library for 3 years.

[illegible] Warden for 1 year.

1 Sinking Fund Commissioner for 3 years.

1 [illegible] Commissioner for 3 years.

1 [illegible] Commissioner for 1 year.

1 [illegible] Commissioner for 3 years.

[illegible] on one ballot, and to vote on the following question: "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of any non-intoxicating beverages in this town?" (The polls will be open from 12 M. to 8 P.M.)

[illegible] Chelmsford
Centre on the following

Monday the twenty [illegible] 1921
at 10 o'clock in the forenoon then and there to act
upon the following Articles viz:

Article 1 To choose all other Town officers necessary to be chosen by hand vote; or act in relation thereto.

Article 2 To hear reports of Town officers and committees, act in relation thereto

Article 3 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray Town charges for the current year

Article 4 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year; also in such other matters as may arise requiring in their judgment the action of such agent, and to employ counsel therefor.

Article 5 To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year.

Article 6 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation at the prevailing price per light, for street lights in addition to the number provided for contracted for, said lights to be included along the following public ways, viz:
Twelve lights on Princeton Road,
Nine lights on High Street, Hand Road, and Littleton Street,
Seven lights on Boston Road,
Eight lights on Pleasant Hill Road,
Four lights on Tyngsboro Road,
Two lights on Old Westford Road formerly known as Westford Road,
Four lights on Billerica Avenue and Old Westford Road;
Four lights on Park Road beginning at North Corner, South Chelmsford,

Three lights on Bradford Road;
Four lights on West Chelmsford Road;
Three lights on Crompton Road;
One light on Broadway;
One light on Worcester Street;
One light on Keats Street;
One light on Littleton Street;
One light on Pilot Street near Chelmsford;
One light at corner of Hill and Washington Streets;
One light at corner of Lowell and John Streets;
One light on South Street; and
Three lights on Adamsdale;
or act in relation thereto.

Article 7 To see if the Town will instruct the Director of Accounts of the Department of Corporations and Taxation to install and establish an accounting system in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 292 of the Acts of 1920 as amended; or act in relation thereto.

Article 8 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding Four Thousand Dollars with which to buy a motor for Chemical Apparatus for the North Village; or act in relation thereto.

Article 9 To see if the Town will appoint a committee to investigate and report as to a site for a fire house at West Chelmsford and the feasibility of the land and the erection thereon of a suitable building in which to house the apparatus and which will serve as a meeting place for the West Chelmsford Fire Department; or act in relation thereto.

Article 10 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding Six Hundred Dollars for the purpose of supplying the West Chelmsford Fire Department with additional fire equipment; or act in relation thereto.

Article 11 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to dispose of a wood carrying apparatus being part of the equipment of the Police Department; or act in relation thereto.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Dollars or some other sum, and elect a director for Demonstration work in agriculture and home economics, the money to be expended by said director in cooperation with the County Trustee for Extension in Agriculture and Home Economics under the provisions of Chapter 273, General Acts of 1918 and any amendments thereof; or act in relation thereto.

Article 13. To see if the Town will appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer an amount not exceeding Thirty-five Hundred Dollars under Article 2 of the warrant for the Annual March meeting of 1920, or act in relation thereto.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to borrow an amount not exceeding Twelve Hundred Dollars, or what other sum for the purpose of continuing construction of the North Road and of constructing the Center Road and the Union Road, or act in relation thereto.

Article 15. To receive the report of the Special Committee appointed under Articles 4 and 6 of the warrant for the Special Town Meeting held on June 11, 1920 to purchase a lot of land owned by J. Adams Bartlett for a site for a school house at the Westlands, so called, and to procure plans and specifications for a four room school building at said Westlands, and to raise and appropriate an additional sum to meet the expenses incurred by them for plans, specifications or otherwise; or act in relation thereto.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to build a four room school house at the Westlands, so called, at an expense for the building and the equipment thereof not exceeding Fifty Thousand Dollars, and appoint a Building Committee; or act in relation thereto.

Article 17. On the record of affirmative action under Article 16 to see if the Town will vote to raise or borrow and appropriate a sum not exceeding Fifty Thousand Dollars with which to build and equip a four room school house at the

Westlands, so called, or act in relation thereto.

Article 18 In the event of affirmative action under Article 16, to see if the Town will appropriate out of unexpended appropriations in the Town Treasury at the end of the fiscal year of 1920 a sum not exceeding Five Thousand Dollars with which to pay as part of the expense of building and furnishing a new school house at the Westlands, so called; or act in relation thereto.

Article 19 To see if the Town will raise or appropriate out of unexpended appropriations in the Town Treasury at the end of the fiscal year of 1920 a sum not exceeding Five Hundred Dollars for the purpose of clearing from scrub and improving the land recently purchased as a site for a school house at the Westlands so called; or act in relation thereto.

Article 20 To see if the Town will accept and allow Wightman Street as laid out by the Selectmen on January 29, 1921, as described in their report duly filed in the Town Clerk's office and shown on the plan therein referred to; or act in relation thereto.

Article 21 To see if the Town will accept and allow Maple Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen on January 29, 1921, as described in their report duly filed in the Town Clerk's office and shown on the plan therein referred to; or act in relation thereto.

Article 22 To see if the Town will accept and allow Sunset Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen on January 29, 1921, as described in their report duly filed in the Town Clerk's office and shown on the plan therein referred to; or act in relation thereto.

Article 23 To see if the Town will accept and allow Sylvan Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen on January 29, 1921, as described in their report duly filed in the Town Clerk's office and shown on the plan therein referred to; or act in relation thereto.

Article 24 To see if the Town will accept and adopt the report made to the Town and by the Selectmen on January 24, 1921, as recorded in their report duly filed in the Town Clerk's office and shown on the plans therein referred to; or act in relation thereto.

Article 25 To see if the Town will accept and adopt the report of Selectmen as laid out by the Selectmen on January 29, 1921, as recorded in their report duly filed in the Town Clerk's office and shown on the plans therein referred to; or act in relation thereto.

Article 26 To see if the Town will vote to discontinue that part of the Subway, so called, in and from Washington from the Easterly line of the Stevens Road, so called, to Cheshunt Street, together with so much of any of the several towns may accepted by the Town on or about Sept. 27, 1777 and recorded in the Highway Book, Page 31, as is situated between said Stevens Road and said Cheshunt Street and is not included in said Subway; or act in relation thereto.

Article 27 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding Eighteen Hundred Dollars for the purpose of straightening, widening and improving the Subway, so called; or act in relation thereto

Article 28 To see if the Town will accept a legacy in the will of the late Orra A. Ford which has already been allowed or is now pending for allowance in the Probate Court for the County of Hancock, made in terms to the Stevens Library of Cheshunt, of Five Thousand Dollars to be known as the George Fund, upon the trusts, - and will set forth; or act in relation thereto.

Article 29 To see if the Town will accept a legacy in the will of the said Orra A. Ford made in favor of the said Stevens Library, of the sum of Five Thousand Dollars in trust among other things for the perpetual care of the Clarence George Cemetery Lot in the Cemetery at North Cheshunt and for the conditions in said will set forth;

also certain books specified in said will; or act in relation thereto

Article 10 To see if the Town will accept a legacy in the will of said Orra A. G. Flint, made in terms to the Public Library, upon the terms and conditions said will set forth; or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Centre of the town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford and at the School House, in Chelmsford, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Hereof Fail Not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the first meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twenty-fourth day of January, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-one.

William E. Belleville } Selectmen
George N. Day } of
James P. Dunigan } Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said first meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

[illegible]
Special Police Officer

At a town meeting held Feb. [illegible]
from [illegible] of the [illegible] assembled in the town
room pursuant to Warrant the following candidates
for town officers received the number of votes set
against their respective names

| Office | Name of Candidate | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Moderator | Walter Perham | 543 | 414 | 82 | 54 | 1093 |
| Town Clerk | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Three years | Justin L. Moore | 349 | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| | Edward T. Brick | [illegible] | 4 | 1 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Selectman | Samuel S. Kershaw | 137 | 232 | 20 | 58 | 447 |
| Three years | George Rigby | 362 | 275 | 44 | 16 | 697 |
| | Theodore C. Robarge | 60 | 52 | 31 | 4 | 147 |
| | Edward T. Brick | 28 | 47 | 1 | 11 | [illegible] |
| Overseer of the | Samuel S. Kershaw | 142 | 232 | 18 | 50 | 442 |
| Poor (3 yrs.) | George Rigby | 339 | 253 | 43 | 15 | 650 |
| | Theodore C. Robarge | 65 | 53 | 33 | 8 | 159 |
| Bd of Health (3 yrs) | Elliott L. [illegible] | 123 | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| " " (2 yrs) | Arthur G. Scobie | [illegible] | 1 | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| " " (1 yr) | Fred A. Barney | 5 | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | 6 |
| Tax Collector & Town Treasurer | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Assessor 3 yrs. | James P. Dunigan | 183 | 360 | 55 | 71 | 669 |
| | William J. Quigley | 380 | 241 | 43 | 22 | 686 |
| | William [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Constable | Charles L. Petrie | 493 | 105 | 11 | 10 | 619 |
| School Committee 3 yrs. | Fred J. Vinal | 68 | 472 | 78 | 67 | 685 |
| | Charles H. Ellis | 564 | 416 | 74 | 58 | 1112 |
| School Committee 2 yrs. | M. Edward Riney | 391 | 421 | 84 | 48 | 944 |
| Trustees of Public Library 3 yrs. | Albert H. Davis | 506 | 302 | 58 | 41 | [illegible] |
| | A. Heady Park | 439 | 283 | 67 | 42 | 831 |
| Tree Warden | Charles R. Forsythe | 528 | 375 | 73 | 54 | 1030 |
| Sinking Fund Commissioner | William H. Shedd | 496 | 354 | 72 | 70 | 992 |
| Cemetery Commissioner 3 yrs. | Charles F. Scribner | 452 | 423 | 76 | 54 | 1005 |
| Cemetery Commissioner 1 yr. | Ralph V. Adams | 557 | 334 | 70 | 58 | 1019 |
| Park Commissioner 3 yrs. | Fred L. Fletcher | 504 | [illegible] | 89 | 49 | [illegible] |
| Question to license | Yes | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| [illegible] of Non-intoxicating | No | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| [illegible] Beverages | | | | | | |

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## Town Officers Elected Feb. 1, 1921

| Office | Name of Officer | When Qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Moderator | Walter Perham | Feb. 14. | Town Clerk |
| Town Clerk | [illegible] | Mar. 1, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Selectman 3 yrs. | George Rigby | Feb. 10, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Overseer of Poor 3 yrs. | George Rigby | Feb. 10, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Board of Health 3 yrs. | Abbott L. Emery | Feb 14, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| " " 2 yrs. | Arthur G. Seaboyd | | |
| " " 1 yrs. | Fred E. Varney | | |
| Town Treasurer | Ernest H. Sweets | Feb. 12. 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Tax Collector | [illegible] | Feb. 14, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Assessor | William J. Quigley | Feb. 10, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Constable | Fred S. Viral | [illegible] 1921 | Town Clerk |
| School Committee 3 yrs. | Charles H. Elder | [illegible] 1921 | Town Clerk |
| School Committee 2 yrs. | M. Edward Greney | [illegible] 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Trustee of Adams Library | Albert H. Davis | [illegible] 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | A. Heady Park | Feb 10, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Tree Warden | Charles R. Forsythe | Feb 11 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Sinking Fund Commissioner 3 yrs. | William H. Sheda | | |
| Cemetery Commissioner 3 yrs. | Charles F. Scribner | Feb. 10, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Cemetery Commissioner 1 yr. | Ralph P. Adams | March 9, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Park Commissioner 3 yrs. | Fred E. Fletcher | Feb. 10, 1921 | Town Clerk |

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants [illegible] of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant [illegible] Town Hall [illegible] Monday February 14, 1921 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon the following business was transacted to wit: The meeting was called to order by the Moderator [illegible] Clerk Stuart [illegible]

Under Article 1. the following officers were chosen by nomination from the floor

Fence Viewers:- James H. Stevens, John N. Wood, Leonard Spaulding

Appraisers of Personal Property at Town Farm [illegible]

Weighers of Hay: S. Waldo Parkhurst, Frederick Langley, Henry H. Emerson, Myron A. Queen, Frank E. Bickford, John B. Emerson,

Measurers of Wood:- S. Waldo Parkhurst, Fred Langley, John Marinel Jr., Daniel A. Reardon, Frank E. Bickford, Myron A. Queen, Francis O. Dutton, Harry L. Parkhurst, Foemer N. Sweeter,

Surveyors of Lumber: R. Wilson Dix, [illegible] Herbert C. Sweeter, Stewart Mackay, E. Hamlin Russell, Francis O. Dutton, J. F. Knight, Harry L. Parkhurst, William E. Adams,

Field Drivers: R. Wilson Dix, Thomas Murphy, E. Hamlin Russell.

Finance Committee:- John J. Monahan, Herbert C. Ellis, Samuel Kershaw, William H. Shedd, Wilbur [illegible]

Under Article 2. to hear reports of Town Officers and Committees It was voted that the Committee appointed under Article 8 of the warrant for meeting held May 14, 1920 and the Committee appointed at the Annual Meeting in 1919 to take steps concerning memorials for Chelmsford Service men, be combined, granted further time and report at a future meeting.

The Committee appointed under Art. 13 of the warrant for the meeting held May [illegible] reported that in their judgment [illegible]

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advisable to re-open the North Row school.
The report was accepted and the committee discharged.
The report of Committee appointed to look into water supply at the East and South School Houses under Art. 11 of the warrant for meeting held June 11, 1920 was ordered placed on file and it was voted that the unexpended balance of the appropriation for the supply of water at East and South School Houses be reappropriated and the Committee continued in office.
Under the report of the Selectmen appointed as a Committee under Art. 6 of the warrant for meeting held Dec. 17, 1920 a motion to authorize the sale of a certain part of the town farm was lost.
The Selectmen reported that the $150.00 appropriated under Art. 4 of the warrant for the meeting June 11, 1921 remained in the hands of the Town Treasurer.
It was voted that this amount be used for the initial payment for the new four room school house to be erected at the Westlands.
The Town Clerk reported that engrossed resolutions had been mailed to the widow of the late D. Franks Small and a letter of gratitude from Mrs. Small was read and placed on file.
Several corrections in the printed town report were made and it was voted to accept the printed report as corrected.
Under Article 3 The Finance Committee reported the sums necessary in their judgment which as amended it was voted to raise and appropriate as follows.

Schools-

| | |
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| Teachers | 47500.00 |
| Janitors | 6420.00 |
| Janitors' Supplies | 1225.00 |
| Transportation | 9700.00 |
| Books and Supplies | 4800.00 |
| New Equipment | 1200.00 |
| Health | 400.00 |
| Amt. carried forward | 71,245.00 |

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|---|---|
| [illegible] | 71,245.00 |
| Upkeep and Repairs of Buildings | 40000 |
| Fuel | [illegible] |
| Light & Power | [illegible] |
| Administration | [illegible] |
| Administration Incidentals | [illegible] |
| Superintendent | [illegible] |
| **Executive** | |
| Moderator | [illegible] |
| Selectmen's Salaries | 110000 |
| Maintenance | [illegible] |
| **Legal** | |
| Town Counsel | 40000 |
| **Financial** | |
| Treasurer & Tax Collector's Salary | 120000 |
| Maintenance | 22500 |
| Town Clerk & Accountant's Salary | 180000 |
| Maintenance | 50000 |
| Assessors' Salaries & Expenses | 120000 |
| Maintenance | 25000 |
| Appraisers' Salaries | 1500 |
| Maintenance | 225 |
| Auditor's Salaries | 7500 |
| Election Expenses & Registrar's Salaries | 30000 |
| **Public Protection** | |
| Board of Health Salaries | 22500 |
| Agent's Salaries | [illegible] |
| Aid | 50000 |
| Maintenance | 15000 |
| Fire Department | [illegible] |
| Police Department | 150000 |
| Health Department | [illegible] |
| Forrest Warden | 50000 |
| Tree Warden | 15000 |
| Game Warden | [illegible] |
| **Inspection** | |
| Meat Inspection | 70000 |
| Cattle Inspection | 20000 |
| Sealer of Weights & Measures | 15000 |
| Amt. Carried forward | 101,315.87 |

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| Amount brought forward | 101,315.87 |
| Selectmen's Dept | 400.00 |
| Officers | |
| Clerks of Fire Salaries | 225.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 50.00 |
| Highway Dept | 4500.00 |
| Outside Fire (plus receipts) | 4500.00 |
| Libraries | |
| Center Library | 2000.00 |
| North Library | 1200.00 |
| Cemeteries | |
| Superintendent's Salary | 900.00 |
| Care and Improvements | 1000.00 |
| Hedge at Forefather's Cemetery | 150.00 |
| General | |
| Public Clocks | 700.00 |
| Street Lighting | 8324.00 |
| Village Clerk | 30.00 |
| Memorial Day | 200.00 |
| Insurance (Sinking Fund) | 500.00 |
| Industrial School (plus receipts) | 3000.00 |
| Insurance Bond | 220.00 |
| Printing & Delivering Town Reports | 750.00 |
| North Chelmsford Fire District | 7500.00 |
| Chelmsford Water District | 7500.00 |
| Band Concerts | 250.00 |
| High School Grading (plus balance 1920) | 1200.00 |
| Public Buildings | |
| Janitor Service | 500.00 |
| Fuel Light and Water | 700.00 |
| Repairs and Furniture | 1000.00 |
| Maintenance | 25.00 |
| Highways | |
| Superintendent's Salary | 2500.00 |
| Middlesex Street | 2000.00 |
| Dunstable Road | 1000.00 |
| Dunstable Road to Woods Corner | 200.00 |
| Amt. carried forward | 138,679.87 |

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|---|---|
| [illegible] | 1386 79.87 |
| West Chelmsford Road (plus the unexpended balance of 1920) | 2000000 |
| Billerica Road | [illegible] |
| River Neck Road | 500000 |
| Russell Mill Road | 500000 |
| Proctor Road | 700000 |
| School St (N. Chelmsford, rebuilding wall) | 300000 |
| Chelmsford St. (Macadam) | 3000000 |
| General Highways | [illegible] |
| Road Drills | [illegible] |
| Culling Brush | [illegible] |
| Columbus Ave. (East Chelmsford) | [illegible] |
| Sherman and Adams Streets | 500000 |
| Loading Machine | 613 30 |
| Steam Roller and Scarifier | 6000000 |
| | $163,093.17 |

The following amounts were re-appropriated from money already in the hands of the Town Treasurer.

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| Fence at West Cemetery | $100.00 |
| Street Signs | 295.00 |
| Assessors' Maintenance | 493.65 |
| High School Grading under direction of School Committee. | 266.21 |

Under this article it was voted that the receipts from dog tax, tuition of state and city wards and tuition of out of town pupils, of 1920 be appropriated for the school department.

Under this article it was voted that the sence of the meeting was in favor of erecting the town hall and certain school houses.

Under this article Robert Andrews and Fred L. Fletcher were appointed and sworn as tellers.

Under Article 4 voted that the Town hereby authorizes the Selectmen to act as its agent in any and all matters which may arise during the current year, and to appeal other matters which may arise, and to approve the action of such agent, and to employ counsel therefor.

Under Article 5 voted that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1921 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year; any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Under Article 6 voted that the Town authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation at the prevailing price per light, for eighty-one lights in addition to the number now contracted for, said lights to be distributed along the following public ways viz: Seven lights on Riverneck Road; nine lights on Bush Street, Hunt Road, and Littleton Street; seven lights on Boston Road; eight lights on Russell's Mill Road; five lights on Parkhurst Road; five lights on Old Westford Road from City line to North Road; four lights on Boulder Avenue and Old Westford Road; four lights on Park Road beginning at Hood's Corner, South Chelmsford; three lights on Westford Road; one lights on West Chelmsford Road; two lights on Turnpike Road; one light on Subway; one light on Orange Street; one light on Keats Street; one light on Littleton Street; one light on Depot Street, North Chelmsford; one light at corner of Holt and Washington Street; one light at corner of James and John Streets; one light on South Street; and three lights on Union Road.

Under Article 7 voted that the town petition the Director of Accounts of the Department of Corporations and Taxation for the install-

tion of an accounting system in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 598 of the Acts of 1910, as amended

Under articles 8 and 9 the first relative to raising and appropriating a sum of money for water for Water for North Village and the second relative to a fire house at West Chelmsford it was voted that a Committee consisting of Joseph D. Ryan, William J. Picken, Loren J. Ellinwood, Charles Finnick, Wilhelm Johnson, Arnold C. Cerham, and Emile C. Vaignon Jr. be chosen to thoroughly investigate the whole matter of fire protection and report with recommendations and estimated cost at a special meeting of the Town to be held not later than June 4, 1921

Under Article 10 voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $600. to be expended by the Selectmen for the purpose of supplying the West Chelmsford Fire Department with additional fire equipment

Under Article 11. voted that the Town authorize the Selectmen to dispose of a wood saw apparatus being part of the equipment of the North Department.

Under Article 12 voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $200. and a Director be appointed for demonstration work in agriculture and home economics, as provided in Chapter 273 of the General Acts of 1918 entitled "An act to provide for the appointment in certain Counties of Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture," or any amendments thereof.

Under Article 13. voted that the Town appropriate from the money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Thirty-five Hundred Dollars with which to meet unpaid bills of 1920.

Under Article 14. voted that the Town Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to borrow a sum not exceeding Twelve Thousand Dollars at a rate of interest not exceeding six per

but bear interest payable semi annually, and to issue therefor five promissory notes, each in the same principal sum, payable at the expiration of one, two, three, four and five years from the date thereof, such note to be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by a majority of the Board of Selectmen, and that the proceeds be used to continue the construction of the North Road, so called, and of the Boston Road, so called. This passed in the affirmative and none opposed.

Under Article 15 The report of the Special Committee was received. It was voted to accept the report of the Committee and that the same be placed on file.

Under Article 16 Voted that the Town build a four room school house upon the land recently purchased from J. Adams Bartlett at the Westlands, so called, at an expense not exceeding Fifty Thousand Dollars for the building and equipment thereof and that the money be expended by a Building Committee with full power consisting of three members. The members of this committee as chosen were Eben T. Adams, Edwin L. Stearns, and Walter J. McEnaney. 109 voted in favor and none opposed.

Under Article 17. voted that the Town Treasurer be and is hereby is authorized and directed to borrow, with the approval of the Selectmen, the sum of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars with which to meet the expense of building and equiping a new school house at the Westlands, so called, and to issue the note or notes of the Town therefor, payable in nine annual instalments of Five Thousand Dollars each, of which the first shall be payable in one year and the last in nine years from the date thereof, with interest payable semi annually at a rate not exceeding six per cent per annum. 109 voted in favor none opposed.

Under Article 18 voted that the Town appropriate out of unexpended appropriations in the

Town Treasury at the end of the fiscal year of 1920, the sum of Five Thousand Dollars with which to meet a part of the expense of building and furnishing a new school house at the Westlands, so called.

Under Article 19 Voted that the Town appropriate out of unexpended appropriations in the Town Treasury at the end of the fiscal year of 1920 a sum not exceeding Five Hundred Dollars for the purpose of clearing from scrub and improving the land recently purchased for a school house at the Westlands, so called.

Under Article 20 voted that the Town accept and allow Nightman Street as laid out by the Selectmen on January 29, 1921, as described in their report filed on that day in the Town Clerk's office and shown on the plan therein referred to.

Under Article 21 Voted that the Town accept and allow Maple Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen on January 29, 1921, as described in their report filed on that day in the Town Clerk's office and shown on the plan therein referred to.

Under Article 22. Voted that the Town accept and allow Sunset Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen on January 29, 1921, as described in their report filed on that day in the Town Clerk's office and shown on the plan therein referred to.

Under Article 23 Voted that the Town accept and allow Sylvan Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen on January 29, 1921, as described in their report filed on that day in the Town Clerk's office and shown on the plan therein referred to.

Under Article 24 voted that the Town accept and allow Subway Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen on January 29, 1921, as described in their report filed on that day in the Town Clerks office and shown on the plan therein referred to.

Under Article 25 voted that the Town accept and allow Subway Extension as laid out

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by the Selectmen on January 27, 1921, as laid out, then which filed for that day in the Town Clerk's office, and shown on the plan thereon referred to.

Under Article 26 voted that that part of the Subway, so called, extending from the easterly line of the Stearns land, so called, to Chelmsford Street, together with so much, if any, of the ancient town way accepted by the Town on or about Sept. 27, 1797 and recorded in the Highway Book, Page 31, as is situated between said Stearns land and said Chelmsford Street and is not included in said Subway, be and the same is hereby discontinued.

Under Article 27 voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $700. for the purpose of straightening, grading, and improving so much of the Subway, so called, as has not been discontinued at this meeting under the preceding article.

Under Article 28. voted that the Town accept a legacy in Item 1 of the will of the late Orra A. G. Flint which is now pending for allowance in the Probate Court for the County of Worcester, made in trust to the Adams Library of Chelmsford, of One Thousand Dollars to be known as the George Fund, upon the trusts in said will set forth.

Under Article 29 voted that the Town accept a legacy of One Thousand Dollars in Item 1. of the will of Orra A. G. Flint now pending for allowance in the Probate Court for the County of Worcester, made in terms to the Adams Library of Chelmsford, in trust among other things for the perpetual care of the Aaron George Cemetery Lot in the Cemetery at North Chelmsford, and upon the conditions in said will set forth, also certain books specified in said will

Under Article 30 voted that the Town accept a legacy of Seventeen Thousand Dollars in Item 2 of the will of Orra A. G. Flint now pending for allowance in the Probate Court for the County of Worcester,

made in lieu to the Adams Library Children upon the trustee and conditions in said will set forth under Articles 28, 29 and 30 a motion was made by the Selectmen and their successors to enter into a compromise agreement with the heirs at law of the said Orra A. Hunt was defeated.

Upon motion of H. Alan C. Dole the thanks of the Board of Selectmen a vote of thanks was extended to the Town Clerk, Edward J. Robins, who voluntarily retires from the office after serving the town continuously for the past seventeen years.

At 5-30 P.M. Voted to dissolve the meeting.

Walter Cerhan

Moderator

Edward J. Robins

Town Clerk.

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## Officers appointed by the Selectmen

| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Town Counsel | Frederic A. Fisher | | |
| Superintendents of Burials | Walter Perham<br>George F. Cutler<br>A. F. Whidden | March 9, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Supt. of Burials of Indigent Soldiers and Sailors | Walter Perham | March 9, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Registrar of Voters | Karl M. Perham | Apr. 4 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Sealer of Weights & Measures | Curtis A. Aiken | March 19, 192 | Town Clerk |
| Supt. of Almshouse | Ross S. Spaulding | March 12, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Matron of Almshouse | Lizzie I. Spaulding | March 12, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Supt. of Moth. Dept. | Charles R. Forsythe | March 16, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Janitors of Pub. Bldgs. | Curtis A. Aiken Center<br>Justin J. Potter North | | |
| Fish & Game Warden | Charles H. Morse | Apr. 2 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector of Animals | Arnold C. Perham | March 29, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Forest Fire Warden | Herbert M. Sturtevant | March 15 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Supt. of Streets | Charles R. Forsythe | March 7, 1921 | Town Clerk |

Officers appointed by the Selectmen

| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Curtis A. Aiken | March 12, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | Herbert M. Sturtevant | March 11, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | Charles L. Petrie | March 7, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Special | James R. Goakin | March 15, 1921 | Wm P. Picken J. P. |
| Police | Charles O. Robbins | March 14, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | Isaac H. Knight | March 12, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | George Small | March 2 1921 | George D. Fuller N. P. |
| | Warren Wright | March 28, 1921 | Wm E. Belleville J. P. |
| | George O. Spaulding | March 12, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | Charles R. Forsythe | March 19, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | George C. Moore Jr. | | |
| | Harry L. Packhurst | March 31, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | Emma L. Packhurst | March 15, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Weighers of | Frederic Pangley | March 15, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Coal | Frank E. Bickford | | |
| | Mrs. Frank E. Bickford | | |
| | James P. Dunigan | March 30, 1921 | Wm P. Picken J. P. |
| | John B. Emerson | | |
| | George X. Pafe | March 30, 1921 | Walter I. Chase J. P. |
| | John J. Dunigan | March 28 1921 | Wm P. Picken J. P. |
| | James F. Leahy | March 30 1921 | Wm P. Picken N. P. |
| | James Long | March 23, 1921 | Walter I. Chase J. P. |
| | James J. Hackett | | |
| | James P. Dunigan | March 30, 1921 | Wm P. Picken J. P. |
| Weighers of | George X. Pafe | March 30, 1921 | Walter I. Chase J. P. |
| Merchandise | Paul McGregor | March 23, 1921 | Walter I. Chase J. P. |
| | Halfred Foster | | |
| | William Brown | March 23, 1921 | Walter I. Chase J. P. |
| | Frederic Pangley | March 15 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | Emma L. Packhurst | March 15, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Measurer of | Erwin W. Swetser | March 15 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Wood | Richard E. Davis | March 25, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | Herbert C. Swetzer | Nov 1, 1921 | Town Clerk |

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## Officers Appointed by the Selectmen

| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Board of Health | Curtis A. Aiken | March 11 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | A. Samuel Gustafson | March 10, 1921 | Edward J. Robbins J.P. |
| Surveyors of Lumber | Joseph Erwin | | |
| | Richard E. Davis | March 25 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Surveyor of Sawdust | Richard E. Davis | March 25 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Weigher of Hay | Emma L. Parkhurst | March 24, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Special Police | Albert H. Davis | Dec. 27, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | Morton B. Wright | April 1, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | Charles F. Morse | June 21, 1921 | " " |
| | George C. Moore | " 28, " | Wallace D. Chase J.P. |
| Special Police for Fire Duty | Arnold C. Perham | Oct. 8, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | John E. Hogan | | |
| | Loren J. Ellinwood | Oct. 18, 1921 | Frederic A. Snow N.P. |
| | Wallace S. Fletcher | Oct. 21, 1921 | P. H. Haley N.P. |
| | Joseph D. Ryan | | |
| | Elmer Prull | Oct. 13, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | Henry G. Quinn | Oct. 21, 1921 | Jos. H. Farnley N.P. |
| | William E. Belleville | | |
| Board of Fire Engineers | Arnold C. Perham | June 28 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | John E. Hogan | " " " | " " |
| | Loren J. Ellinwood | " " " | " " |

## Offices Officers appointed by the Board of Health

| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Inspector of Meats and Slaughtering | William S. Hall | March 28, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Agents of Board of Health | Curtis A. Aiken | | |
| | Abbott L. Emery | | |
| | A. Samuel Gustafson | | |
| | Arthur G. Isabella | Oct. 18, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | Fred E. Varney | Oct. 17, 1921 | Town Clerk |

Officers elected Feb. 14, 1921 (see Page 173)

| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Fence Viewers | James N. Stevens | | |
| | John H. Cogger | | |
| | Leonard Spaulding | | |
| Appraisers of Personal Property | Emile E. Paignon Jr. | | |
| | John F. Parker | | |
| | Albert H. Davis | | |
| Weighers of Hay | S. Waldo Parkhurst | | |
| | Frederic Pangley | March 15, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | Henry H. Emerson | | |
| | Myron A. Queen | March 23 1921 | Wm F. Pickett J.P. |
| | Frank E. Bickford | | |
| | John F. Emerson | | |
| Measurers of Wood | S. Waldo Parkhurst | | |
| | Frederic Pangley | March 15, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | John Marinel Jr. | | |
| | Daniel A. Reardon | | |
| | Frank E. Bickford | | |
| | Myron A. Queen | March 23, 1921 | Wm F. Pickett J.P. |
| | Francis O. Dutton | | |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | March 31, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | Hosmer N. Sweetser | March 15, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| Surveyors of Lumber | R. Wilson Dix | | |
| | Myron A. Queen | March 23, 1921 | Wm F. Pickett J.P. |
| | Herbert C. Sweetser | March 12, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | Stewart McKay | | |
| | E. Hamlin Russell | | |
| | Francis O. Dutton | | |
| | J. F. Knight | | |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | March 31, 1921 | Town Clerk |
| | William E. Adams | | |
| Field Drivers | R. Wilson Dix | | |
| | Thomas Murphy | | |
| | E. Hamlin Russell | | |

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex ss
To the Constable of the Town of Chelmsford in said County; Greeting;
In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the upper Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre, on Friday, the twenty-seventh day of May current, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz;

Article 1 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate, or appropriate in whole or part from money in the Treasury, a sum not exceeding three thousand dollars for the support of outside poor; or act in relation thereto.

Article 2 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate an additional sum not exceeding Two hundred dollars to cover the expense of heat, light, and water for public Building; or act in relation thereto.

Article 3 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate an additional sum not exceeding Five Hundred Dollars for the Math Department; or act in relation thereto.

Article 4 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred and Seventy-five Dollars for election expenses and Salaries of Registrars of Voters; or act in relation thereto.

Article 5 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate an additional sum of One Hundred Dollars for Board of Health Aid; or act in relation thereto.

Article 6 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate

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the sum of Seventy-nine and 50/100 Dollars with which to pay the salary of the Town Clerk for the period from January 1 to February 15, 1921; or act in relation thereto

Article 7 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate an additional sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars for the Forest Warden Department, or act in relation thereto.

Article 8 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding Six Hundred Dollars with which to satisfy any judgment that Mrs. Tesla A. Cain may recover in the two actions now pending in the Superior Court, one against the Town and the other against the Superintendent of Streets; or act in relation thereto.

Article 9 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Sixteen Hundred Dollars to be available so far as needed for the payment of land damages growing out of new construction of the Boston Road; or act in relation thereto.

Article 10 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate an additional sum of Three Thousand Dollars with which to pay the salaries of teachers; or act in relation thereto.

Article 11 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate an additional sum of Twelve hundred Dollars with which to cover the expense of transporting scholars; or act in relation thereto.

Article 12 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred and Twenty-nine Dollars with which to cover the expense of additional Street lights authorized at the last Annual Town Meeting or act in relation thereto.

Article 13 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or borrow the sum of Two Thousand Dollars for the relocation and new construction of the Acton Road, provided the State and the County will contribute cash an equal amount; or act in relation thereto.

Article 14 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation, at the prevailing price, for one light in West Chelmsford in addition to the number previously contracted for, and will raise and appropriate a sufficient sum therefor; or act in relation thereto.

Article 15 To see if the Town will vote to increase the number of Constables to be elected at the next Annual Town meeting and so on from year to year until otherwise voted by the Town; or act in relation thereto.

Article 16 To receive and act upon the report of the Special Committee appointed under Articles 8 and 9 at the last Annual Town Meeting to investigate the whole matter of town fire protection; or act in relation thereto.

Article 17 To see if the Town will vote to procure motor fire apparatus and equipment at a cost not to exceed Fifteen Thousand Dollars, and will raise and appropriate therefor the sum of Sixteen Hundred Dollars and borrow the balance for a period not exceeding five years; or act in relation thereto.

Article 18 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Nine Hundred Dollars or what other sum, for the purpose of

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installing a suitable fire alarm system at Chelmsford Centre; or act in relation thereto.

Article 19 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the additional sum of Two Thousand Dollars, or what other sum, to meet the expense of maintaining the fire department for the current year; or act in relation thereto.

Article 20 To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding Four Hundred Dollars for the purpose of making necessary repairs and improvements to the several fire houses of the Town; or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Centre of the Town South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford and West Chelmsford, and at the School House East Chelmsford, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this eighteenth day of May in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-one.

George N. Day
William E. Belleville
George Rigby
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Fred S. Vinal
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs pursuant to Warrant at the Town Hall Chelmsford Centre, on the evening, May 27, 1921, at 7.30 o'clock, the following business was transacted to wit; The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Walter Parham, and the Warrant read by the Town Clerk.
Under Article 1 it was voted that the sum of Three Thousand Dollars be appropriated out of available money in the Treasury for the support of outside poor.
Under Article 2 it was voted that the Town appropriate out of available money in the Treasury an additional sum of Two Hundred Dollars to cover the expense of heat, light and water for public Building.
Under Article 3 it was voted that the Town appropriate out of available money in the Treasury an additional sum of Four Hundred Dollars for the Health Department.
Under Article 4 it was voted that the Town appropriate out of available money in the Treasury an additional sum of One Hundred and Seventy-five Dollars for election expenses and Salaries of Registrars of Voters.
Under Article 5 it was voted that the Town appropriate out of available money in the Treasury an additional sum of One Hundred Dollars for Board of Health aid.
Under Article 6 it was voted that the Town appropriate out of available money in the Treasury the sum of Seventy-nine and 50/100 Dollars with which to pay the salary of the Town Clerk for the period from January 1

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to February 15, 1921.
Under Article 7 it was voted that the Town appropriate out of available moneys in the Treasury an additional sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars for the Forest Warden Department.
Under Article 8, Fred L. Fletcher and Samuel Kershaw were appointed tellers. It was voted that the Town appropriate out of available moneys in the Treasury the sum of Six Hundred Dollars with which to satisfy, so far as it will go, any judgment that Mrs. Festa A. Davis may recover in the two actions now pending in the Superior Court, one against the Town and the other against the Superintendent of Streets, and the attendant expenses.
Under Article 9, it was voted that the Town appropriate out of available moneys in the Treasury the sum of Five Hundred Dollars to be available so far as needed for the payment of land damages growing out of new construction of the Boston Road.
Under Article 10 it was voted that the Town raise and appropriate an additional sum of Three Thousand Dollars with which to pay the salaries of the teachers.
Under Article 11, it was voted that the Town raise and appropriate an additional sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars with which to cover the expense of transporting scholars, as provided by law.
Under Article 12, it was voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred and Twenty-nine Dollars to cover the expense of additional street lights authorized at the last Annual Town Meeting.

Under Article 13, the following motion was made: That in order to limit the indebtedness to be incurred by the Town in bearing its proportionate part of the proposed relocation, repair, and widening of the Helen Road, so-called, if, as, and when adopted by the County Commissioners the Town Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to borrow a sum not exceeding Two Thousand Dollars at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent. per annum payable semi-annually, and to issue therefor four promissory notes each in the same principal sum of Five Hundred Dollars payable at the expiration of one, two, three and four years from the date thereof, each note to be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by a majority of the Board of Selectmen. Upon this motion 19 voted in favor and 80 against and the motion was lost.

Under Article 14, voted that the Selectmen be authorized to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation for one additional light to be located on School Street, in West Chelmsford, and that the sum of Nine Dollars be raised and appropriated to cover the expense thereof for the balance of the current year.

Under Article 15, a motion that the number of Constables to be elected at the next Annual Town Meeting and so on from year to year until otherwise voted by the Town, be increased from one to two, was defeated.

Under Article 16, the committee on fire protection reported. The report was tabled pending action on Article 17. The

report was later taken from the table, accepted and a vote of thanks extended to the committee.
Under Article 17, it was voted that the Town authorize and direct a Special Committee consisting of Joseph D. Ryan, William D. Picken, Loren F. Ellinwood, Charles Zimnick, Wilhelm Johnson, Arnold C. Perham and Emile E. Paignon to procure additional motor fire apparatus and equipment at a cost not to exceed in all the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars, and that the Town raise and appropriate therefor the sum of Sixteen Hundred Dollars and borrow the balance at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent. per annum payable semi-annually, and issue therefor five promissory notes each for the principal sum of one-fifth of the total amount borrowed, payable at the expiration of one, two, three, four, and five years from the date thereof, such note or notes to be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by a majority of the Board of Selectmen. Upon this motion 180 voted in favor and none against.
Under Article 18, voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Nine Hundred Dollars for the purpose of installing a suitable fire alarm system at Chelmsford Center, and said sum to be expended by a committee of three appointed by the Finance Committee. The committee appointed are, Walter Pletcher, Wilhelm Johnson and Raymond C. Hazeltine.
Under Article 19, voted that the Town raise and appropriate an additional sum of Two Thousand Dollars to meet the

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expense of maintaining the Fire Department for the current year.
Under Article 20, voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred dollars for the purpose of making necessary repairs and improvements to the several fire houses of the Town.
At 10.40 P.M. voted to dissolve the meeting

Walter Perham
Moderator

Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk.

June 23, 1921.

Mr. Ralph P. Adams,
Chelmsford, Mass.

Dear Sir:

I have this day appointed you as Assistant Town Clerk and you are requested to appear, at once, before a Justice of the Peace and be sworn to the faithful performance of your duties.

Very truly yours,
Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk

(Town Seal)

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Warrant for Annual Town Meeting February 6, 1922 and February 13, 1922.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex SS.

To Fred I. Vinal, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in their several Polling Places, viz:

Precinct 1, Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre.
Precinct 2, Town Hall, North Chelmsford.
Precinct 3, Historical Hall, West Chelmsford.
Precinct 4, School House, East Chelmsford.

On Monday, the sixth day of February, 1922, being the first Monday in said month, at 12 o'clock noon, for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes for the following Officers,
Moderator for one year,
One Selectman for three years,
One Overseer of the Poor for three years,
One Assessor for three years,
Town Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for one year,
One Member of Board of Health for three years,
One Member of Board of Health for one year,
One Constable for one year,
One School Committeeman for three years,
Two Trustees of Adams Library for three years,
Three Wardens for one year
One Sinking Fund Commissioner for three years,
One Cemetery Commissioner for three years,
One Park Commissioner for three years,
all on one Ballot, and to vote on the following question:

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this Town?"

(The polls will be open from 12 M. to 8 P.M.)

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and to meet in the Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre on the following

Monday, the thirteenth day of February, 1922, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act upon the following Articles, viz:

Article 1. To choose all other Town officers necessary to be chosen by hand vote; or act in relation thereto.

Article 2. To hear reports of Town officers and committees; or act in relation thereto.

Article 3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray Town charges for the current year.

Article 4. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year; also in such other matters as may arise requiring in their judgment the action of such agent, and to employ counsel therefor.

Article 5. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year.

Article 6. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation, at the prevailing price per light for twelve lights in addition to the number previously contracted for, said lights to be distributed along the following public ways, viz:

Four lights on Carlisle Road;
Three lights on Parkhurst Road;
Three lights on Brick Kiln Road;
One light on Boston Road between Carlisle Road and Russell's Mills Road;
One light on Halines Street; or act in relation thereto.

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Article 7. In the event of affirmative action under the preceding article, to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money for additional electric lights; or act in relation thereto.

Article 8. To see if the Town will appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer a sum not exceeding Eighteen Hundred Dollars with which to meet unpaid bills of 1921; or act in relation thereto.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, or some other amount, and elect a director for demonstration work in agriculture and home economics, the money to be expended by, and the director to serve in co-operation with, the County Trustees for aid to agriculture and home economics, under the provisions of Chapter 128 of the General Laws and any amendments thereof; or act in relation thereto.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to borrow a sum not exceeding Twelve Thousand Dollars, or what other sum, for the purpose of constructing the Acton Road, or any and what part thereof two thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the Commonwealth and the County of Middlesex; or act in relation thereto.

Article 11. To see if the Town will accept and allow Harvard Street at the North Village as laid out by the Selectmen on January 7, 1922, as described in their report duly filed in the Town Clerk's office and shown on the plan therein referred to; or act in relation thereto.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, or what other sum, for the repair and grading of Hall Street; or act in relation thereto.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve Thousand Dollars, or what other sum, for the purpose of continuing construction of the Boston Road; or act in relation thereto.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be determined at the meeting for the purpose of repairing and improving Parkman Road and Smith Avenue, or either of them; or act in relation thereto.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be determined at the meeting, to cover the expense of the trimming and preservation of the public shade trees injured by the recent ice storm; or act in relation thereto.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Hundred Dollars or what other sum, for the purpose of grading the grounds at the new school building at the Westlands; or act in relation thereto.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred and Fifty Dollars, or what other sum, for the purpose of constructing a retaining wall at the West Chelmsford School grounds; or act in relation thereto.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars or what other sum, to continue the grading of the Play Ground at the High School; or act in relation thereto.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Dollars, with which to purchase a new truck to transport the school children of the Town; or act in relation thereto.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-eight Hundred and Fifty Dollars, or what other sum, for the purchase of a site for and the erection of a fire station at East Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

Article 21. To see if the Town will appoint a committee to report at the next annual town meeting what action, if any, should be taken by the Town to provide for future high school accommodations; or act in relation thereto.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Hundred Dollars, or what other sum, for the purchase of fire hose; or act in relation thereto.

Article 23. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Fire Engineers to sell two hose reels, one harness, two wagons, and a small building located near North Chelmsford Town Hall, or act in relation thereto.

Article 24. To see if the Town will authorize the use and storage of the fire apparatus and other property in charge of the Board of Fire Engineers, from time to time in such part or parts of the Town as said Board may think advisable, or act in relation thereto.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars or what other sum, for the collection and removal of ashes and rubbish; or act in relation thereto.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to rename the Princeton Street School as a memorial to Lieutenant Egbert F. Pitley, a World War soldier who lost his life in the service, said school to be known as the Egbert F. Pitley School; or act in relation thereto.

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Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to rename the West Chelmsford School as a memorial to Corporal George R. Dussy, a World War soldier who lost his life in the service, said school to be known as the George R. Dussy school; or act in relation thereto.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to rename Stevens Corner, so-called, at the North Village, as a memorial to Private Alberton W. Vinal, a World War soldier who lost his life in the service, said corner to be known as the Alberton W. Vinal Square; or act in relation thereto.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to erect at an expense not exceeding three thousand dollars a granite monument to the memory of the men and women of Chelmsford who served in the World War; or act in relation thereto.

Article 30. To see what action, if any, the Town will take to secure the payment of taxes within one year after October first of the year in which they are assessed; or act in relation thereto.

Article 31. To see if the Town will increase the number of Constables, and if so, to what number; or act in relation thereto.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to take out insurance against employer's liability, so-called, in the Highway Department and the Math Department, or either of them; or act in relation thereto.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty-nine dollars to cover deficiency in settlement of land damage case of Dennis J. and Rose Mc Cuskey and expense; or act in relation thereto.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred and Fifty Dollars for State Aid; or act in relation thereto.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum to be determined at the meeting sufficient to purchase a flag for the Centre Village; or act in relation thereto.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Fifty Dollars with which to pay Hector Clough a balance for services rendered the Building Committee of the Westlands School during the year 1921; or act in relation thereto.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be determined at the meeting for the purpose of establishing and maintaining sidewalks in the town under the general direction and control of the Selectmen; or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the centre of the town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford, and at the School House, East Chelmsford, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said first meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the first meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this thirteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-two

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George N. Day
William E. Belcaide
George Rigby
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing Warrant by posting up true and attested copies of the same at the places above mentioned more than seven days before the day of holding said first meeting.

Fred C. Veiral
Constable of Chelmsford.

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Precinct Officers appointed for Town Election, held Feb. 6th, 1922.

Name of Officers

| Office | Name | Pre. | Qualified | By whom |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Warden | Daniel E. Haley | 1 | Feb. 6, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | John H. Pratt | 1 | Feb. 6, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Teller | Hosmer R. Smither | 1 | Feb 6, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | George L. Waite | 1 | Feb 6. 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Sidney E. Dupee | 1 | Feb. 6, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Henry Bunce | 1 | Feb. 6. 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Pearl M. Adams | 1 | Feb 6, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Bessie A. Perham | 1 | Feb. 6. 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Edith A. Perham | 1 | Feb 6. 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Nina G. Greig | 1 | Feb. 6, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Warden | James B. McQuade | 2 | | |
| Clerk | Edna I. Ballinger | 2 | | |
| Teller | George Welch | 2 | | |
| | James Kibird Jr. | 2 | | |
| | George S. Elliott | 2 | | |
| | Michael A. O'Brien | 2 | | |
| | Mary K. Daley | 2 | | |
| | Mary A. Gardey | 2 | | |
| | Georgia M. Duden | 2 | | |
| | Edith M. Steele | 2 | | |
| Warden | Thomas E. Roark | 3 | | |
| Clerk | Loren J. Ellinwood | 3 | Feb. 2, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Teller | Bayard C. Dean | 3 | | |
| " | Lodge S. Reid | 3 | | |
| " | Catherine W. Riney | 3 | | |
| " | Margaret D. Edwards | 3 | | |
| Warden | Daniel A. Reardon | 4 | | |
| Clerk | Lewis H. Jennison | 4 | | |
| Teller | George A. McNutty | 4 | | |
| " | Lydia S. Barris | 4 | | |
| " | Minnie A. Devine | 4 | | |
| " | Annie Abedd | 4 | | |

At a legal meeting held Feb. 6, 1922 at the four precincts of the Town of Chelmsford at 12 o'clock noon pursuant to Warrant, the following candidates for town officers received the number of votes set against their respective names

| Office | Name of Candidate | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Moderator | Walter Perham | 325 | 208 | 46 | 39 | 618 |
| Selectman 3 years | William E. Belleaille | 297 | 211 | 46 | 49 | 603 |
| Sexton of the Poor 3 years | William E. Belleaille | 291 | 210 | 46 | 44 | 591 |
| Board of Health 3 years | A. Samuel Gustafson | 274 | 171 | 37 | 41 | 523 |
| Board of Health 1 year | Curtis A. Aiken | 320 | 182 | 39 | 34 | 575 |
| Treasurer & Tax Collector | Erwin W. Sanctser | 317 | 221 | 42 | 45 | 625 |
| Assessor 3 years | Herbert C. Sanctser | 311 | 202 | 43 | 43 | 599 |
| Constable | Charles L. Petrie | 305 | 52 | 10 | 32 | 399 |
| | Fred I. Vinal | 53 | 281 | 44 | 26 | 404 |
| School Committee 3 years | Herbert Waterhouse | 221 | 115 | 27 | 30 | 393 |
| | John W. Whitworth | 126 | 214 | 23 | 18 | 381 |
| Trustees Adams Library 3 years | Lulla A. S. Clark | 309 | 128 | 33 | 15 | 485 |
| | Otis P. Wheeler | 235 | 231 | 33 | 15 | 514 |
| Fire Warden | Charles R. Forsythe | 297 | 178 | 40 | 35 | 550 |
| Insurance Fund Commissioner 3 years | Walter Perham | 310 | 184 | 45 | 36 | 575 |
| Cemetery Commissioner 3 years | Ralph P. Adams | 332 | 184 | 42 | 36 | 594 |
| Park Commissioner 3 years | Walter H. Merrill | 311 | 172 | 41 | 32 | 556 |
| Shall Licenses be granted for the Sale of Certain Non-Intoxicating Beverages in this Town | Yes | 39 | 85 | 13 | 22 | 159 |
| | No | 284 | 163 | 31 | 27 | 505 |

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Town Officers elected Feb. 6, 1922.

| Office | Name of Officer | When Qualified | Before whom. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Moderator | Walter Perham | Feb. 13, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Selectman for 3 years | William E. Belleville | Feb. 11, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Overseer of the Poor for 3 years | William E. Belleville | Feb. 11, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Board of Health for 3 years | H. Samuel Santerson | Feb. 13, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Board of Health for 1 year | Curtis A. Aiken | Feb. 13, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Treasurer & Tax Collector | Erwin N. Santerson | Feb. 13, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Assessor for 3 years | Herbert C. Santerson | Feb. 14, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Constable | Fred D. Vinal | Feb. 11, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| School Committee for 3 yrs. | Herbert Waterhouse | Feb. 13, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Trustee of Adams Library | Luella H. S. Clark | Feb. 14, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| for 3 years | Otis P. Wheeler | Feb 14, 1922 | William J. Picken N.P. |
| Tree Warden | Charles R. Forsythe | Feb. 13, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Insurance Fund Commissioner for 3 years | Walter Perham | Feb. 13, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Cemetery Commissioner for 3 years | Ralph P. Adams | Feb. 13, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Park Commissioner for 3 yrs. | Walter H. Merrill | Feb. 14, 1922 | Town Clerk |

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant at the Town Hall, Center Village, Monday, Feb. 13, 1922 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, the following business was transacted to wit; The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Walter Perham, and the Warrant read by the Town Clerk, Austin L. Moore.

Under Art. 1, voted that all other Town Officers and committees, including the Finance Committee, be chosen by the Board of Selectmen.

Under Art. 2, John J. Monahan was called for the Finance Committee.

Edwin L. Stearns reported for the Building Committee of the Westland School. The report was accepted, the Committee continued in office.

E. Aubrey Jenkins reported for Memorial for Chelmsford service men in the World War. The report was accepted and the Committee discharged.

Joseph E. Warren reported on Water supply for the East and South Schools. The report was accepted and the Committee discharged.

Joseph D. Ryan reported on Motor Fire Apparatus. The report was accepted and the Committee continued in office.

Raymond C. Hazeltine reported on Fire Alarm at the Centre. The report was accepted and the Committee continued in office.

The Town Report was accepted as printed.

Under Art. 3, voted that the Chairman of the Board of Assessors be paid four dollars per day for each full days service and that the remaining members of the Board be paid three dollars and fifty cents per day for each full days service. Upon this vote 62 voted yes and 18 voted no.

Voted that of the amount raised for Free

Warden, Fifty Dollars shall be used for the removal of a tree in front of Frank J. Lupien's house on Westford Street

Voted that the amount appropriated for cutting brush shall be expended in the month of August 1927.

Voted that 25% of the amount appropriated for street signs shall be expended on the East Chelmsford Streets.

Voted that the amount appriated for repairs on Middlesex Street, shall be applied between a point near the Riverside Cemetery and the Lowell line. Upon this vote 47 voted Yes and 21 No.

Voted that the amount appropriated for repairs on Dalton Road be applied between the junction of Stedman Street and Dalton Road and Chelmsford Street.

Voted to raise and appropriate the following sums to defray Town charges for the fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1927:

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| Legislative: | |
| Moderator's Salary | $10.00 |
| Executive: | |
| Selectmen's Salaries | 575.00 |
| Other expenses | 100.00 |
| Accountant and Town Clerk: | |
| Salary | 1800.00 |
| Other Expenses | 200.00 |
| Collector and Treasurer: | |
| Salary | 1050.00 |
| Other Expenses | 360.00 |
| Treasurer's Bond | 220.00 |
| Assessors: | |
| Salaries and expenses | 735.00 |
| Other expenses | 200.00 |
| Law Department: | |
| Town Counsel | 300.00 |

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| Election and Registration: | |
| Registrars' Salaries | $150.00 |
| Election Officers | 600.00 |
| Other expenses | 175.00 |
| Appraisers: | |
| Salaries | 15.00 |
| Expenses | 2.50 |
| Public Buildings: | |
| Janitors | 600.00 |
| Fuel, light and water | 650.00 |
| Repairs | 600.00 |
| Other expenses | 25.00 |
| Public Protection: | |
| Police Department | 1500.00 |
| Board of Health Salaries | 200.00 |
| " " " Agents " | 90.00 |
| " " " Maintenance | 10.00 |
| " " " Aid | 625.00 |
| Animal Inspection | 180.00 |
| Meat " | 700.00 |
| Fire Dept.: | |
| Salaries | 3100.00 |
| Labor and expenses at Fires | 600.00 |
| Fuel, light and water | 350.00 |
| Janitors | 150.00 |
| Building Repairs | 500.00 |
| Maintenance of Trucks | 650.00 |
| Telephones and Alarms | 300.00 |
| Supplies | 150.00 |
| New Equipment | 375.00 |
| Rent | 225.00 |
| Expenses of Engineers | 75.00 |
| Hydrant Service: | |
| N. Chelmsford Fire District | 750.00 |
| Chelmsford Water " | 750.00 |
| Sealer of Weights & Measures | 150.00 |
| Moth Department | 2624.22 |

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| Public Protection: | |
| Tree Warden | $200.00 |
| Forest Fires | 700.00 |
| Fish and Game Warden | 100.00 |
| Highways: | |
| Superintendent's Salary | 1750.00 |
| Road Binder | 3000.00 |
| Truck maintenance | 4400.00 |
| Cutting Brush | 500.00 |
| Street Signs | 100.00 |
| General Repairs | 4800.00 |
| Carlisle Road | 480.00 |
| River Neck Road | 560.00 |
| Middlesex Street | 800.00 |
| N. Chelmsford Rd. (from Entre) | 800.00 |
| Proctor Road | 320.00 |
| Dalton Road | 240.00 |
| Billerica Street | 560.00 |
| Old Westford Road | 400.00 |
| High Street | 400.00 |
| Groton Road | 400.00 |
| Drumlable Road | 160.00 |
| Shuhan Road | 160.00 |
| Street Lighting | 9810.00 |
| Poor Department: | |
| Overseers Salaries | 200.00 |
| " Maintenance | 15.00 |
| Outside Poor | 6200.00 |
| Almshouse: | |
| Superintendent's Salary | 900.00 |
| Other expenses | 2700.00 |
| Soldiers Benefits: | |
| Soldiers Relief | 400.00 |
| Vocational School | 1000.00 |
| plus day tax | |

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| School Department: | |
| Superintendents Salary | $3000.00 |
| Administration | 1050.00 |
| Teachers | 53500.00 |
| Books and Supplies | 4800.00 |
| New Equipment | 000.00 |
| Transportation | 9000.00 |
| Janitors Salaries | 6400.00 |
| Fuel | 7000.00 |
| Upkeep and Repairs | 4600.00 |
| Janitors Supplies | 800.00 |
| Light and Power | 800.00 |
| School Nurse | 1200.00 |
| Nurse's Supplies | 300.00 |
| School Physician | 400.00 |
| Furniture and Furnishing | 400.00 |
| Libraries: | |
| Adams Library | 2000.00 |
| N. Chelmsford " | 1200.00 |
| Cemeteries: | |
| Commissioners Salaries | 95.00 |
| Care and Improvement | 1000.00 |
| General: | |
| Public Parks | 700.00 |
| Band Concerts | 250.00 |
| Memorial Day | 225.00 |
| Insurance Fund | 500.00 |
| Village Clock | 3000 |
| Poison Reports | 727.25 |
| Street Lights, additional (under Art. 7) | 125.00 |
| Aid to Agriculture and Home Economics (under Art. 9) | 250.00 |
| Trimming and preservation of public shade trees (under Art. 16) | 1500.00 |
| Grading Playgrounds at High School (under Art. 18) | 1000.00 |

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| Fire Hose (under Art. 22) | 600.00 |
| Monument for World War Soldiers (under Art. 29) | 3000.00 |
| D. J. & Rose McCluskey Case (under Art. 33) | 5900 |
| State Aid (under Art. 34) | 550.00 |
| Flag at the Centre (under Art. 35) | 3500 |

Appropriated the following sums from money already available in the Treasury:

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| Columbus Avenue | 200.00 |
| Fire Alarm at the Centre | 500.00 |
| Unpaid Bills for 1921 (under Art. 8) | 997.67 |
| Hector Clough Claim (under Art. 36 | 5000 |
| Trading Westland School House Grounds from balance of Westland School House Fund) (under Art. 16) | 1000.00 |

Voted to borrow the following sums of money for the following purposes:

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| Construction of Acton Road (under Art. 10) | 12000.00 |
| Fire Station at East Chelmsford (under Art. 20) | 2850.00 |

Under Art. 4, voted that the Selectmen be and they hereby are authorized to act as the agent of the Town in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year, also in such other matters as may arise requiring in their judgment the action of such agent, and to employ counsel therefor.

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Under Art. 5, voted that the Town Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time, with the approval of the Selectmen, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1922, and to issue a note or notes payable within one year; any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Under Art. 6, voted that the Town authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation at the prevailing price per light, for twelve lights in addition to the number previously contracted for, said lights to be distributed along the following public ways, viz: Four lights on Carlisle Road; three lights on Parkhurst Road; three lights on Brick Kiln Road; one light on Boston Road between Carlisle Road and Russell's Mills Road; one light on Holmes Street.

Under Art. 7, voted to raise and appropriate the sum of One hundred twenty-nine dollars with which to meet the expense of additional electric lights voted under Art. 6.

Under Art. 8, voted to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Nine hundred ninety-seven and 67/100 dollars with which to meet unpaid bills of 1921.

Under Art. 9, voted to raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred fifty dollars and met at this meeting a director of demonstration work in agriculture and home economics, the money to be expended by and the director to serve in co-operation with,

the County Trustees for Aid to Agriculture and Home Economics, under the provisions of Chapter 128, Section 41, of the General Laws and any amendments thereof. Perley W. Kimball was elected director.

Under Art. 10 voted that the Town Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to borrow a sum not exceeding Twelve Thousand Dollars at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, and to issue therefor five promissory notes, each in the same principal sum, payable at the expiration of one, two, three, four and five years from the date thereof each note to be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by a majority of the Board of Selectmen, and that the proceeds be used for the purpose of constructing the Acton Road, two-thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the Commonwealth and the County of Middlesex. 170 voted Yes and 1 voted No.

Under Art. 11, voted to accept and allow Harvard Street at the North Village, as laid out by the Selectmen on January 7, 1922, as described in their report duly filed in the Town Clerk's office and shown on the plan therein referred to.

Under Art. 12, voted to leave the matter of repairing and grading Holt Street to the Board of Selectmen.

Under Art. 13, voted to dismiss the article.

Under Art. 14, voted that Seven hundred Dollars to taken from the appropriation for General Highway Repairs, for the purpose

of repairing and improving Pickheart Road and Smith Avenue.

Under Art. 15, voted that the sum of Fifteen hundred Dollars be raised and appropriated, to cover the expense of the trimming and preservation of the public's shade trees injured by the recent ice storm.

Under Art. 16, voted that the sum of One thousand Dollars be appropriated, from the unexpended balance of the Westland School House appropriation made in 1921 for the purpose of grading the grounds at the new school building at the Westlands, the money to be expended under the supervision of the Building Committee.

Under Art. 17, voted to lay the Article on the table. The Selectmen were authorized to lay out Naylor Street, so called, and report at a future town meeting.

Under Art. 18, voted to raise and appropriate the sum of One thousand Dollars, to continue the grading of the Play Ground at the High School, the money to be expended under the supervision of the Selectmen.

Under Art. 19, voted to indefinitely postpone the Article.

Under Art. 20, voted that the Town borrow the sum of Twenty-eight Hundred and Fifty Dollars, with which to purchase a site, on the Frank Lowcraft lot, so-called, situated on Graham Street, East Bridgewater, for and build a fire station at East

Chelmsford, at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, and issue therefor five promissory notes, each for the principal sum of one-fifth of the total amount borrowed, payable at the expiration of one, two, three, four and five years from the date thereof; such note or notes to be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by a majority of the Board of Selectmen. 112 voted Yes, 1 voted No.
Building Committee chosen were, Henry F. Keoine, A. Samuel Gustafson, George A. McNulty, F. Wilson Dix, Birger Peterson, Joseph H. Sedin and Henry G. Quinn.

Under Art. 21, voted that the Article be indefinitely postponed. 56 voted Yes, 44 voted No.
Under Article 22, voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Hundred Dollars for the purchase of fire hose, the same to be expended under the general direction of the Board of Fire Engineers.

Under Art. 23, voted that the Board of Fire Engineers be and they hereby are authorized and empowered to sell at public auction or private sale, as they may think advisable, the following property belonging to the Town, viz: Two hose Reels, one harness, two wagons, and a small house located near South Chelmsford Town Hall.

Under Art. 24, voted that the Board of Fire Engineers be and they hereby are authorized and empowered to use and store the fire apparatus and other property in their charge from time to time in such part or

parts of the town as they may think advisable.

Under Art. 25, voted to indefinitely postpone Art. 25.

Under Art. 26, voted to indefinitely postpone Art. 26.

Under Art. 27, voted to rename the West Chelmsford School as a memorial to Corporal George R. Dussey, a World War soldier who lost his life in the service, said school to be known as the George R. Dussey School.

Under Art. 28, voted to rename Stevens Corner, so-called, at the North Village, as a memorial to Private Alberton W. Vinal, a World War soldier who lost his life in the service, said corner to be known as the Alberton W. Vinal Square.

Under Art. 29, voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Three thousand dollars for the erection of a granite monument on the Common at North Chelmsford in memory of the men of Chelmsford who gave their lives in the World War, and that the committee be given full powers to procure plans and specifications, erect said monument and suitable inscription thereon, said inscription to contain the names of all who made the supreme sacrifice including the name of Arthur Ayotte and that any further additional names be left to the Committee for their consideration. The following committee was

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chosen to carry out the purpose of this article; E. Hunkins Jenkins, Mack Dugham, John J. Monahan, Williston Earll and John J. Garacy

Under Art. 30, voted to indefinitely postpone Art. 30.

Under Art. 31, voted to indefinitely postpone Art. 31.

Under Art. 32, voted to indefinitely postpone Art. 32

Under Art. 33, voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty-nine Dollars to cover deficiency in settlement of land damage case of Dennis J. and Rose McCluskey and expenses.

Under Art. 34, voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred and fifty Dollars for State Aid.

Under Art. 35, voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty-five Dollars to purchase a flag for the Centre Village.

Under Art. 36 voted to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Fifty Dollars with which to pay Hector Clough a balance for services rendered Building Committee of the Westland School during the year 1921.

Under Art. 37, voted to postpone until next Annual Town Meeting.

Voted to dissolve the meeting.

Justin R. Moore
Town Clerk.

Walter Parham
Moderator

# Officers appointed by the Selectmen

| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Finance Committee | C. George Armstrong | | |
| | Samuel J. Kershaw | | |
| | John C. Monahan | | |
| | Emile E. Paignon | | |
| | Henry F. Devine | | |
| Town Counsel | Frederick A. Fisher | | |
| Supt. of Streets | Charles R. Forsythe | Feb. 24, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Supt of Moth | Charles R. Forsythe | Feb. 24, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Registrar of Voters | James F. Leahey | Feb. 28, 1922 | Wm P. [illegible] |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | Curtis A. Aiken | Feb. 23, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Forest Warden | Herbert M. Sturtevant | Mar. 3, 1922 | Patrick H. Haley J.P. |
| Fish and Game Warden | Charles F. Morse | Feb. 28, 19[illegible] | [illegible] |
| Supt. of Indigent Soldiers and Sailors Burials | Walter Kerhan | March 1, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Janitors | Albert A. Davis | Feb. 23, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Justin J. Potter | Feb. 28, 1922 | Walter J. Cha[illegible] |
| Tree Viewers | Herbert C. Sumtser | Feb. 23, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Charles R. Forsythe | Feb. 24, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | James P. Dunigan | Mar. 3, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Field Drivers | Fred I. Vinal | March 22, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Charles L. Petric | Feb. [illegible] | [illegible] |
| | Warren Wright | | |
| | George Small | Mar. 6 1922 | Geo. B. Cullen N.P. |
| | George O. Spaulding | Feb. 23, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Appraisers | John F. Parker | March 1, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Albert H. Davis | Feb. 23, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | David Bilson | Feb. 28, 1922 | Lorenzo J. Ellinw[illegible] |

| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom |
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| | Herbert M. Sturtevant | Refused to accept | |
| | Charles L. Petrie | Feb. 27, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | James R. Gaskin | Feb 28, 1922 | Wm T. Picken N.P. |
| | Charles O. Robbins | Feb. 28, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Isaac A. Knight | Oct. 31, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Special | George Small | Mar. 6, 1922 | Geo. B. Fuller N.P. |
| Police | Warren Wright | | |
| Officers | George O. Spaulding | Feb. 23, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Charles R. Forsythe | Feb. 24, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | George E. Moore Jr. | Feb. 28, 1922 | Walter I. Chase J.P. |
| | Marton B. Wright | March 1, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Charles F. Morse | Feb 28 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Justin J. Potter | Feb. 28 1922 | Walter I. Chase N.P. |
| | Albert H. Davis | Feb. 23, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Charles Finnick | Feb 25, 1922 | Samuel S. Cunningham N.P. |
| | Edwin E. Davis | Mar. 6, 1922 | Walter I. Chase J.P. |
| | Archibald Cooke | July 3, 1922 | Loren J. Ellinwood N.P. |
| | William Reid | Aug. 18, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Arnold C. Perham | Feb. 25, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | John E. Hagan | Mar. 8, 1922 | Wm T. Picken N.P. |
| Special | Loren J. Ellinwood | Feb 27, 1922 | Frederic A. Brown N.P. |
| Police | Walter S. Fletcher | Mar. 15, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Officers | Joseph D. Ryan | Mar. 8 1922 | Wm T. Picken N.P. |
| for fire | Elmer Frull | | |
| duty only | Henry G. Quinn | | |
| | William E. Belleaille | Feb. 22, 1922 | [illegible] |
| Measurers | Richard E. Davis | Mar. 10 1922 | Wm T. Picken N.P. |
| of Sawdust | Pearl T. Durrell | Mar. 10, 1922 | Wm T. Picken N.P. |
| Weighers | John B. Emerson | | |
| of | Frederic Tangley | Mar. 3, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Hay | Myron A. Queen | Mar. 7 1922 | Walter I. Chase J.P. |

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| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Richard E. Davis | Mar. 10, 1922 | Wm T. Picken N.P. |
| | Myron A. Queen | Mar. 7 1922 | Walter I. Chase J.P. |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | March 6, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Measurers | Herbert C. Sweetser | March 3. 1922 | Town Clerk |
| of | Pearl T. Durrell | Mar. 10, 1922 | Wm T. Picken N.P. |
| Lumber | Edward A. Vondal | Mar. 10, 1922 | Wm T. Picken N.P. |
| | James A. Berton | Mar. 10, 1922 | Wm T. Picken N.P. |
| | Joseph Erwin | Mar. 10, 1922 | Wm T. Picken N.P. |
| | Edward B. Russell | | |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | March 6, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Frederic Dangley | Mar. 3, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Weighers | James P. Dunigan | Mar. 3, 1922 | [illegible] |
| of | George X. Pope | Mar. 13, 1922 | Walter I. Chase N.P. |
| Coal | John J. Dunigan | Mar. 3, 1922 | Wm T. Picken N.P. |
| | John B. Emerson | | |
| | James T. Leahey | Feb. 25, 1922 | Wm T. Picken N.P. |
| | James Long | March 9, 1922 | Walter I. Chase J.P. |
| | James P. Dunigan | Mar 3, 1922 | [illegible] |
| Weighers | George X. Pope | Mar. 13, 1922 | Walter I. Chase N.P. |
| of | Paul Mc Gregor | Feb. 25, 1922 | Walter I. Chase J.P. |
| Wood. | William Brown | Apr. 20, 1922 | Walter I. Chase J.P. |
| | Frederic Dangley | Mar. 3, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Halfred Fraser | | |
| | James T. Dunigan | Mar. 6 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Walter Perham | Oct. 7, 1922 | Asst. Town Clerk |
| | Sidney E. Perham | Oct 9, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Sinai Simard | Oct 9 1922 | Town Clerk |

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| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom. |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Erwin N. Swetser | Feb. 24, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Richard E. Davis | [illegible] | [illegible] N.P. |
| Measurers of Wood | Frederick Langley | Mar. 3, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Myron A. Lucen | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| | Herbert C. Swetser | Feb. 23, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | March 6, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Hosmer N. Swetser | Feb. 24, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Pearl S. Durrell | Mar. 2, 1922 | [illegible] N.P. |
| Animal Inspector | Arnold C. Perham | March [illegible], 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Fire Engineers | Arnold C. Perham | May 3, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | John E. Hagan | May 3, 1922 | W. J. Picken N.P. |
| | Loren J. Ellinwood | Apr. 29, 1922 | Frederic H. Snow N.P. |
| Special Police Officers, without pay. | Daniel M. Lynch | May 23, 1922 | Edward N. Durrell J.P. |
| | Charles A. Hamilton | " " " | " " |
| | Bernard J. Judge | " " " | Grover C. Page J.P. |
| | Frank H. Murphy | " " " | " " |
| | Walter L. Kiolan | " " " | " " |
| | Michael J. Connors | " " " | " " |
| | Andrew N. Hunter | " " " | " " |
| | Fred A. Cotter | " " " | " " |
| | William G. Morse | " " " | " " |
| | Leo A. Haban | " " " | Edward N. Durrell J.P. |
| | Charles Brown | " " " | Grover C. Page J.P. |
| | James R. Maloney | " " " | " " |
| | Mabel G. Armstrong | June 12, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Matilda Costello | June 12, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Emily M. Skilton | June 12, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| | Evelyn [illegible] Hill | June 14, 1922 | Town Clerk |

Officers appointed by Board of Health

| Office | Name of Officer | When qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Meat Inspector | William S. Hall | Apr. 20, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Sgnt | Arnold C. Lerhan | July 1, 1922 | Town Clerk |

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Warrant for Special Town Meeting at Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre, Thursday evening, May 18, 1922.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex ss.
To Fred S. Vinal, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford: Greeting:
In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre, on Thursday, the eighteenth day of May current, at 8 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz.

Article 1. To see if the Town will appropriate from money in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Nine Hundred Eighty-three and 26/100 Dollars ($983.26) with which to pay bills of the School department for the year ending December 31, 1921; or act in relation thereto.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-four Hundred Forty-three and 73/100 Dollars ($2443.73) as an additional appropriation for the Vocational School; or act in relation thereto.

Article 3. To see if the Town will appropriate from money in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Thirty-six and 53/100 Dollars ($36.53) with which to pay outstanding bills of the Fire department for the year ending Dec. 31, 1921 or act in relation thereto.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Hundred Dollars ($800) with which to purchase arsenate of lead

for the Math Department, or act in relation thereto.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twelve hundred dollars ($1200) or any and what other sum for the purpose of furnishing gravel with which to raise the grade of the electric car tracks at West Chelmsford, or act in relation thereto.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to borrow a sum not exceeding five thousand dollars ($5000) or any and what other sum for the purpose of constructing the Groton Road or any and what part thereof, two-thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the Commonwealth and the County of Middlesex, or act in relation thereto.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or borrow a sufficient sum with which to purchase for the Highway Department an additional truck, or act in relation thereto.

Article 8. To see if the Town will appoint a committee to investigate and report as to the advisability of a water system for the whole town, or act in relation thereto.

Article 9. To see if the Town will accept and allow Naylor Street, at West Chelmsford as laid out by the Selectmen May 1, 1922 and described in their report duly filed in the Town Clerks office and shown on the plan therein referred to, or act in relation thereto.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seventy-five Dollars ($75) with which to settle land damages to be incurred in the laying out or construction of said Naylor Street or act in relation thereto.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Dollars ($400) with which to construct said Taylor Street; or act in relation thereto.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote that the Finance Committee be elected at the next annual meeting, and thereafter until further action by the Town to the contrary, by ballot, or act in relation thereto.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seventy-five Dollars with which to install electric lights in the East Chelmsford School House, or act in relation thereto.

Article 14. To see if the Town will so far ratify the vote passed under Article 29 at the annual meeting held in February 1922 as to give the committee appointed for the erection of a granite monument on the Common at East Chelmsford in memory of the men of Chelmsford who gave their lives in the World War full power and discretion to have placed upon such monument such names and such names only as to said Committee may under the circumstances seem best; or act in relation thereto.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars ($500) or any and what other sum as an additional appropriation with which to pay the salaries and transportation charges of the Board of Assessors, or act in relation thereto.

Article 16. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars ($500) or any and what other sum for the purpose of draining that part of the

Russell Mill Road so called between the house of John Swanson and the South Row School House; or act in relation thereto.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty Dollars ($50) or any and what other sum for the purpose of raising the grade and constructing a suitable walk at the rear of the South Row School House, or act in relation thereto.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($650) or any and what other sum for the purpose of placing a curbstone around the Common at North Chelmsford, or act in relation thereto.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Dollars ($200) or any and what other sum for the purpose of keeping the Dump, so-called, at North Chelmsford in a proper condition, or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford, and at the School House, East Chelmsford, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this tenth day of May, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty two.

George Tighy
William E. Belleville
George N. Day
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town

Fred I. Vinal

Constable of the Town of Chelmsford.

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, qualified to vote in town affairs held pursuant to Warrant at the Upper Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre on Thursday, the eighteenth day of May current, at 8 o'clock in the evening, the following business was transacted to wit, The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Walter Perham, and the Warrant read by the Town Clerk, Justin L. Moore.
Under Article 1, voted to appropriate from money in the hands of the Treasurer, the sum of One Hundred Eighty-three and 26/100 Dollars with which to pay bills of the School Department for the year ending Dec. 31, 1921.
Under Article 2, voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars as an additional appropriation for the Vocational School.
Under Article 3, voted to appropriate from money in the hands of the Treasurer, the sum of Thirty-six and 83/100 Dollars with which to pay outstanding bills of the Fire Department, for the year ending Dec. 31, 1921.
Under Article 4, voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Hundred Dollars with which to purchase arsenate of lead for the Moth Department.
Under Article 5, voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars for the purpose of furnishing gravel with which to raise the grade of the electric car track at West Chelmsford.
Under Article 6, voted in order to meet the indebtedness to be incurred by the Town

in bearing its proportionate part of the proposed specific repairs on the Groton Road extending from Princeton Street at North Chelmsford, on the east, to the Westford Town Line, on the West, the Town Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized, empowered, and directed to borrow a sum of money not exceeding Five Thousand Dollars at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent. per annum payable semi-annually and to issue therefor five promissory notes each in the same principal sum, severally payable at the expiration of one, two, three, four, and five years from the date thereof, and each to be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by a majority of the Board of Selectmen.

Upon this Question 171 voted Yes and 50 voted No.

C. Wesley Lyons and Fred L. Vinal were appointed and sworn as tellers.

Under Article 7, 101 voted Yes and 51 voted No and the Article was defeated by one-third of a vote.

Under Article 8, voted that a Committee consisting of Herbert E. Ellis, Chelmsford Centre, John J. Monahan, West Chelmsford, John J. Kelley, East Chelmsford, Wilbur E. Kapham, South Chelmsford and James P. Dunigan, North Chelmsford, be appointed to investigate fully the best and proper means of establishing a water supply for the Town of Chelmsford, this Committee to act as a joint Committee with the Finance Committee and Selectmen and to report at any future Town Meeting.

Under Article 9, voted to dismiss the Article.

Under Article 10, voted to dismiss the article.

Under Article 11, voted to dismiss the Article.

Under Article 12, voted to dismiss the Article.
Under Article 13, voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Seventy-five Dollars with which to install electric lights in the East Chelmsford School House.
Under Article 14, voted to dismiss the Article.
Under Article 15, voted to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Fifty Dollars with which to pay transportation charges of the Board of Assessors.
Under Article 16, voted to dismiss the Article.
Under Article 17, voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty Dollars for the purpose of raising the grade and constructing a suitable walk at the rear of the South Row School House, the money to be expended under the supervision of the Selectmen.
Article 18, voted to dismiss the Article.
Under Article 19, a motion to raise and appropriate Two Hundred Dollars was defeated and the Article was dismissed.

Meeting dissolved at 10.45 P.M.

Walter Perham
Moderator

Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk.

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Warrant for special town meeting at Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre, Thursday evening, July 27, 1927.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex ss.
To Fred S. Vinal, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the upper town hall at Chelmsford Centre, on Thursday, the twenty-seventh day of July current, at 8 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Art. 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the additional sum of fifteen hundred dollars, or any and what additional sum, for highway purposes; or act in relation thereto.

Art. 2 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Nine Hundred Dollars or any and what sum, with which to build a retaining wall at the George K. Russey School ... at West Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

Art. 3 To see what action if any, the Town will take relative to making a contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation for street lighting; or act in relation thereto.

Art. 4 To see if the Town will appropriate from money in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of thirty-nine and 72/100 dollars with which to pay bills of the Treasury Department for the year ending December 31, 1927; or act in relation thereto.

Art. 5 To see if the town will so far modify the vote passed under Article 29 at the annual meeting held in February, 1922 as to give the committee appointed for the creation of a granite monument on the common at North Chelmsford in memory of the men of Chelmsford who gave their lives in the World War full power and discretion to have placed upon such monument such names and such names only as to said committee may under the circumstances seem best; or act in relation thereto.

Art. 6 To see if the town will vote that the Finance Committee be elected at the next annual meeting, and thereafter until further action of the town to the contrary, by ballot; or act in relation thereto.

Art. 7 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Dollars to be paid to the Central Congregational Church as damages caused by raising the grade of the street in front of its church property; or act in relation thereto.

Art. 8 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars with which to equip the new fire house now under construction at East Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

Art. 9 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars for the care and maintenance of the dump, so-called, in the North Village; or act in relation thereto.

Art. 10 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred Dollars or what other sum, in addition to the amount already raised for soldiers' aid; or act in relation thereto.

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And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford and West Chelmsford and at the School House, East Chelmsford, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting.
Hereof fail not, and make return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.
Given under our hands this fifteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-two.

George Rigby
William E. Billeaille
George N. Day
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Fred J. Vinal
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford.

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, qualified to vote in town affairs held pursuant to Warrant at the Upper Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre, on Thursday, the twenty-seventh day of July, current at 8 o'clock in the evening the following business was transacted, to-wit; The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Walter Perham, and the Warrant read by the Town Clerk, Arthur L. Moore.

Under Art. 1, Voted to raise and appropriate an additional sum of Sixteen Hundred Dollars for highway purposes.

Under Art. 2, Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars with which to build a retaining wall at the George R. Livesey School House at West Chelmsford.

Under Art. 3, Voted to refer back to the Selectmen the matter of making a contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation for street lighting and to report at a future meeting.

Under Art. 4, Voted that the sum of Thirty-nine and 72/100 Dollars be appropriated from money already in the hands of the Treasurer with which to pay bills of the Treasury Department for the year ending Dec. 31, 1921.

Under Art. 5, Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $3000.00 for the erection of a granite monument on the Common at North Chelmsford in memory of the men of Chelmsford who gave their lives in the World War, and that the Committee

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Town Selectmen to procure plans and specifications, erect said monument and place suitable inscriptions thereon, said inscriptions to contain the names of all who made the supreme sacrifice while in the military service of the United States.

Under Art. 6, Voted to dismiss the article.

Under Art. 7, Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Dollars to be paid to the Central Congregational Church as damages caused by raising the grade of the street in front of its Church property.

Under Art. 8, Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars with which to equip the New Fire House now under construction at East Chelmsford.

Under Art. 9, Voted to dismiss the article.

Under Article 10, Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred Dollars, in addition to the amount already raised for Soldiers Aid.

Meeting dissolved at 9.55 P.M.

Walter Perham
Moderator

Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk.

Election Officers appointed Aug. 14, 1922, for one year, or until Sept. 15, 1923.

| Office | Name | Pre. | Qualified | By whom |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Warden | Daniel E. Haley | 1 | Aug. 21, 1922 | Asst. Town Clerk |
| Deputy " | Sidney E. Lupee | 1 | Aug. 18, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | John H. Pratt | 1 | Aug. 17, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Deputy " | Walter H. McMahon | 1 | Aug. 7, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | George M. Sutton | 1 | Aug. 21, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | George L. Waite | 1 | Aug. 19, 1922 | W. E. Bellisle J.P. |
| Deputy " | Pearl M. Adams | 1 | Aug. 15, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| " " | Annie C. Davis | 1 | Aug. 16, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| " " | Edith A. Perham | 1 | Aug. 16, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| " " | Jessie A. Perham | 1 | Aug 19, 1922 | Asst. Town Clerk |
| Warden | James B. McQuade | 2 | Aug. 21, 1922 | J. H. Valentine N.P. |
| Deputy " | George S. Elliott | 2 | Refused to accept | |
| Clerk | Edecia S. Ballinger | 2 | Aug. 6 1922 | Wm T. Pickard |
| Deputy " | Mary A. Garay | 2 | Aug. 21, 1922 | Frank J. Garay N.P. |
| Inspector | George Nutch | 2 | Aug 19, 1922 | J. H. Valentine N.P. |
| Inspector | Michael A. O'Brien | 2 | Aug. 19, 1921 | J. H. Valentine N.P. |
| Deputy " | Mary K. Daley | 2 | Aug. 21, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| " " | Georgia M. Queen | 2 | Aug. 16 1922 | J. H. Valentine N.P. |
| " " | Edith M. Steele | 2 | Aug 18, 1922 | W. T. Pickard N.P. |
| " " | James Kibbe Jr. | 2 | Aug. 21, 1922 | W. T. Pickard N.P. |
| Warden | Thomas E. Roarke | 3 | Aug. 19, 1922 | L. J. Ellinwood N.P. |
| Deputy " | Bayard C. Dean | 3 | Aug. 15, 1922 | L. J. Ellinwood N.P. |
| Clerk | Loren J. Ellinwood | 3 | Aug. 21, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Deputy " | Catherine D. Riney | 3 | Aug. 21, 1922 | L. J. Ellinwood N.P. |
| Inspector | George S. Reid | 3 | Refused to accept | |
| Inspector | Margaret L. Edwards | 3 | Refused to accept | |
| Warden | Daniel A. Reardon | 4 | Aug. 19, 1922 | Asst. Town Clerk |
| Deputy " | Lydia S. Barris | 4 | Aug. 21, 1922 | Mary J. Dix N.P. |
| Clerk | Lewis H. Jennison | 4 | Aug. 21, 1922 | Town Clerk |
| Deputy " | Minnie A. Leoine | 4 | Aug. 21, 1922 | Geo. B. Nutter, N.P. |
| Inspector | George A. McNulty | 4 | Aug. 21, 1922 | Asst. Town Clerk |
| Inspector | Annie Shedd | 4 | Aug 21, 1922 | Asst. Town Clerk |
| Inspector | Rita G. Anderson | 3 | Aug. 24, 1922 | L. J. Ellinwood N.P. |
| Deputy Warden | Edward C. Lakin | 2 | Aug. 29, 1922 | J. H. Valentine N.P. |
| Inspector | Joseph C. Roark | 3 | Sept. 1, 1922 | Town Clerk |

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At a legal meeting held Sept. 12, 1922, at the four precincts of the Town of Chelmsford in conformity with the provision of the General Laws and amendments thereto, the following candidate for nomination received the number of votes set against their respective name,

| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Governor | J. Weston Allen | Rep. | 104 | 70 | 4 | 10 | 188 |
| | Channing H. Cox | Rep. | 337 | 200 | 30 | 34 | 601 |
| | Joseph B. Ely | Dem. | 0 | 3 | 0 | 6 | 9 |
| | John F. Fitzgerald | Dem. | 8 | 44 | 3 | 19 | 74 |
| | Eugene N. Foss | Dem. | 3 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 8 |
| | Peter F. Sullivan | Dem. | 7 | 18 | 2 | 14 | 41 |
| Lieut. Governor | Alvan T. Fuller | Rep. | 195 | 192 | 22 | 29 | 438 |
| | Joseph E. Warner | Rep. | 240 | 73 | 10 | 15 | 338 |
| | John J. Cummings | Dem. | 5 | 14 | 1 | 3 | 23 |
| | John F. Doherty | Dem. | 9 | 23 | 1 | 19 | 52 |
| | Michael A. O'Leary | Dem. | 1 | 19 | 3 | 18 | 41 |
| Secretary | Frederic H. Cook | Rep. | 369 | 193 | 30 | 39 | 631 |
| | Charles H. McGlue | Dem. | 12 | 44 | 4 | 25 | 85 |
| Treasurer | Fred J. Burrill | Rep. | 171 | 63 | 8 | 18 | 210 |
| | James Jackson | Rep. | 255 | 162 | 22 | 24 | 463 |
| | Joseph E. Venne | Dem. | 4 | 41 | 4 | 25 | 79 |
| Auditor | J. Arthur Baker | Rep. | 182 | 78 | 15 | 21 | 296 |
| | Alonzo B. Cook | Rep. | 154 | 100 | 15 | 18 | 347 |
| | Alice E. Cram | Dem. | 10 | 37 | 4 | 26 | 77 |
| Attorney General | Jay R. Benton | Rep. | 152 | 53 | 13 | 18 | 296 |
| | John D. M. Badfish | Rep. | 8 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 17 |
| | James H. Cavanagh | Rep. | 6 | 7 | 3 | 1 | 17 |
| | J. Howard Connell | Rep. | 30 | 23 | 3 | 7 | 63 |
| | George P. Drury | Rep. | 7 | 21 | 2 | 1 | 31 |
| | Harold A. Wilson | Rep. | 140 | 87 | 7 | 12 | 246 |
| | John E. Swift | Dem. | 11 | 34 | 4 | 22 | 71 |

| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Senator in Congress | Henry Cabot Lodge | Rep. | 321 | 179 | 24 | 34 | 557 |
| | Joseph Walker | Rep. | 107 | 79 | 8 | 10 | 204 |
| | William A. Gaston | Dem. | 11 | 44 | 1 | 31 | 87 |
| | Dallas Lore Sharp | Dem. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | John Jackson Walsh | Dem. | 1 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 11 |
| | Sherman L. Whipple | Dem. | — | 15 | 3 | 8 | 21 |
| Congressman | John Jacob Rogers | Rep. | 409 | 252 | 31 | 41 | 733 |
| | Andrew E. Barrett | Dem. | 14 | 55 | 5 | 39 | 113 |
| Councillor | Charles S. Smith | Rep. | 349 | 192 | 25 | 36 | 602 |
| | P. J. McManus | Dem. | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Senator | Frank H. Putnam | Rep | 362 | 190 | 27 | 36 | 615 |
| Representative in General Court | Henry J. Draper | Dem. | 12 | 39 | 4 | 25 | 80 |
| | Alfred N. Hartford | Rep | 118 | 73 | 12 | 16 | 219 |
| | Fred L. Snow | Rep. | 332 | 223 | 34 | 29 | 608 |
| | Fred Snow | Dem | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| | L. McEnaney | Dem. | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| County Commissioner | Erson B. Barlow | Rep. | 363 | 192 | 27 | 38 | 620 |
| | Ralph Boyd | Rep. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Associate Commissioners | Allard Sandette | Rep | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | John Valentine | Rep | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Joe Ryan | Rep | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Edward Davis | Rep | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| | Justin L. Moore | Rep. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Ralph G. Boyd | Rep. | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| | Sherman Fletcher | Rep | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| | John M. Keyes | Rep | 2 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 8 |
| | Herbert Ellis | Rep | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | George Day | Rep. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Norman W. Fletcher | Rep | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 6 |
| District Attorney | William C. Dronet | Rep | 6 | 37 | 0 | 2 | 45 |
| | Benjamin F. Haines | Rep | 7 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 15 |
| | George Stanley Harvey | Rep | 26 | 25 | 1 | 1 | 53 |
| | Gardner W. Pearson | Rep | 175 | 94 | 14 | 17 | 300 |
| | James C. Reilly | Rep. | 123 | 87 | 18 | 17 | 245 |
| | Anthony C. Doherty | Dem. | 3 | 6 | 1 | 8 | 18 |
| | James C. Reilly | Dem | 13 | 23 | 2 | 27 | 63 |
| | Arthur K. Reading | Rep. | 64 | 20 | 2 | 3 | 89 |

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| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Clerk of Courts | Ralph N. Smith | Rep. | 341 | 180 | 24 | 34 | 579 |
| | Ralph Smith | Dem. | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Register of Deeds | George E. Marchand | Rep. | 82 | 51 | 11 | 10 | 184 |
| | Frank R. Stearns | Rep | 313 | 149 | 19 | 30 | 511 |
| | William C. Perell | Dem. | 12 | 49 | 3 | 31 | 95 |
| County Treas. | Charles E. Hatfield | Rep. | 341 | 181 | 24 | 34 | 580 |
| State Committee | Ralph G. Boyd | Rep | 284 | 109 | 17 | 27 | 437 |
| | Arthur H. Salmon | Rep | 27 | 51 | 6 | 6 | 90 |
| | William J. White | Rep. | 70 | 54 | 6 | 4 | 138 |
| Delegates to State Convention | James P. Dunnigan | Rep | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| | Walter Kerham | Rep | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| | Herbert C. Sewall | Rep | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| | Walter Searem | Rep | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Fred K. Fletcher | Rep. | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Elias T. De La Hay | Rep | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| | George Rigley | Rep | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Ed Brick | Rep | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Austin K. Moore | Rep. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Benjamin Cole | Rep | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| | Ralph N. Emerson | Rep | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| | Ralph Berg | Rep | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Sidney E. Dupee | Rep | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Ralph P. Adams | Rep. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Charles E. Bartlett | Rep | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Edward J. Robbins | Rep | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| | William Burrell | Dem | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| | John Walsh | Dem | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| | John Doherty | Dem | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| | John Fitzgerald | Dem | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| | John Harrington | Dem | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | William H. Quigley | Dem | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Parole Committee | Robert N. Barrie | Rep | 243 | 117 | 15 | 34 | 409 |
| | James P. Dunigan | Rep | 245 | 137 | 20 | 31 | 48[illegible] |
| | Samuel S. Kerkham | Rep | 241 | 141 | 18 | 30 | 45[illegible] |
| | John J. Monahan | Rep | 248 | 133 | 22 | 29 | 48[illegible] |
| | John W. Whitmarsh | Rep | 210 | 145 | 16 | 28 | 39[illegible] |
| | Ralph P. Adams | Rep | 330 | 127 | 17 | 33 | 50[illegible] |
| | Sidney E. Dupee | Rep | 269 | 114 | 18 | 28 | 42[illegible] |

| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Ralph A. Berg | Rep | 294 | 115 | 18 | 36 | 463 |
| | William E. Belleaille | Rep | 275 | 135 | 18 | 30 | 456 |
| | Benjamin Cole | Rep | 269 | 123 | 15 | 27 | 434 |
| | George Rigby | Rep | 245 | 150 | 18 | 27 | 440 |
| | Elias T. De La Haye | Rep | 234 | 140 | 15 | 27 | 416 |
| | Fred L. Fletcher | Rep | 279 | 133 | 19 | 30 | 461 |
| | Sinai Simard | Rep | 240 | 115 | 15 | 27 | 397 |
| | Emile E. Paignon | Rep | 256 | 130 | 17 | 28 | 431 |
| | Walter W. Thurston | Rep | 249 | 136 | 19 | 27 | 431 |
| | Herbert C. Smucker | Rep | 283 | 145 | 19 | 38 | 485 |
| | Walter Perham | Rep | 281 | 149 | 19 | 32 | 480 |
| Sworn Committee Dem. - | E. Brick | Rep | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | James Dunnigan | Dem | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| | William Belleaille | Dem | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| | John Daly | Dem | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| | Daniel Haley | Dem | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| | Thomas Roark | Dem | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| | Carl Perham | Dem | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| | John Harrington | Dem | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| | William J. Quigley | Dem | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Edward Burke | Dem | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Frank Garney | Dem | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| | George A. McNulty | Dem | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| | Anna Devine | Dem | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| | Leo McEnaney | Dem | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | William H. Quigley | Dem | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | P. H. Haley | Dem | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | L. M. Sutton | Dem | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | G. Devine | Dem | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | E. Harrington | Dem | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

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Town Clerk

1922

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Lunenburg, in the County of Middlesex, qualified to vote for State Officers, holden on Tuesday, next after the first Monday in November, being the seventh day of said month, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Governor of the Commonwealth, all the ballots given in therefor, were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed, and were for the following persons, namely:

| Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Channing H. Cox of Boston (R) | 546 | 304 | 49 | 65 | 964 |
| John F. Fitzgerald of Boston (D) | 93 | 220 | 32 | 71 | 416 |
| Henry Hess of Boston (S.L.) | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 8 |
| Walter S. Hutchins of Greenfield (S) | 3 | 4 | 11 | 2 | 20 |
| John B. Lewis of Reading (P) | 4 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| Blanks | 15 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 24 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
At Legal Meetings of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, in the County of Middlesex, qualified to vote for State Officers, holden on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, being the seventh day of said month, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Lieutenant Governor of the Commonwealth, all the ballots given in therefor were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed, and were for the following persons, namely:

| Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| John W. Doherty of Boston (D) | 82 | 196 | 27 | 59 | 364 |
| Alvan T. Fuller of Malden (R) | 549 | 312 | 50 | 71 | 982 |
| Oscar K. Inzalis of Springfield (SL) | 5 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 13 |
| Thomas Nicholson of Methuen (S) | 4 | 7 | 11 | 2 | 24 |
| Blanks | 24 | 24 | 5 | 5 | 58 |
| Whole number of ballots | 662 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk.

1922

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
At Legal Meetings of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, in the County of Middlesex, qualified to vote for State Officers, holden on the Monday next after the first Monday in November, being the seventh day of said month, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Secretary of the Commonwealth, all the ballots given in therefor were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed, and were for the following persons, namely:

| Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Frederic W. Cook of Somerville (R) | 540 | 314 | 55 | 63 | 972 |
| Albert Sprague Coolidge of Pittsfield (S) | 11 | 15 | 11 | 6 | 43 |
| James Hayes of Plymouth (SL) | 6 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 15 |
| Charles H. McGlue of Lynn (D) | 65 | 168 | 17 | 53 | 303 |
| Blanks | 42 | 42 | 10 | 14 | 108 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

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Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At Legal Meetings of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, in the County of Middlesex qualified to vote for State Officers, holden on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, being the seventh day of said month, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Treasurer and Receiver General of the Commonwealth, all the ballots given in therefor were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed, and were for the following persons, namely:

| Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 3 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| James Jackson of Westwood (R) | 541 | 318 | 56 | 68 | 983 |
| Patrick H. Loftus of Abington (SL) | 2 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 11 |
| Dennis A. Reagan of Brockton (S) | 7 | 6 | 12 | 3 | 28 |
| Joseph E. Verme of Leominster (L) | 67 | 175 | 18 | 54 | 314 |
| Blanks | 47 | 39 | 7 | 12 | 105 |
| Whole number of ballots | 662 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

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Town Clerk

1922

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
At Legal Meetings of the Inhabitants of the Town of Belmont, in the County of Middlesex, qualified to vote for State Officers holden on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, being the seventh day of said month, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two for the purpose of giving in their votes for an Auditor of the Commonwealth, all the ballots given in therefor were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed, and were for the following persons, namely:

| Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| John Aiken of Everett (S.L.) | 7 | 7 | 1 | 5 | 20 |
| Alonzo B. Cook of Boston (R) | 497 | 298 | 49 | 62 | 906 |
| Alice E. Crane of Boston (D) | 91 | 168 | 20 | 55 | 334 |
| Edith M. Williams of Brookline (S) | 6 | 9 | 12 | 4 | 31 |
| Blanks | 63 | 61 | 12 | 14 | 150 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore,
Town Clerk

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
At Legal Meetings of the Inhabitants of the Town of Milford, in the County of Middlesex, qualified to vote for State Officers, holden on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, being the seventh day of said month, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, for the purpose of giving in their votes for an Attorney General of the Commonwealth, all the ballots given in therefor were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed and were for the following persons, namely:

| Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Joseph Bearak of Boston (S) | 6 | 11 | 12 | 5 | 34 |
| Jay R. Benton of Belmont (R) | 516 | 296 | 54 | 65 | 931 |
| David Craig of Milford (SL) | 3 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 14 |
| John E. Swift of Milford (D) | 81 | 171 | 17 | 58 | 327 |
| Blanks | 58 | 57 | 10 | 10 | 135 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

Recorded by
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Town Clerk.

1922

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal Meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, in the County of Middlesex, qualified to vote for State Officers, holden on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November being the seventh day of said month, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Senator in Congress, all the ballots given in therefor were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed, and were for the following persons, namely:

| Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Washington Cook of Sharon (Ind.) | 5 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 12 |
| William A. Gaston of Boston (D) | 139 | 234 | 52 | 76 | 481 |
| Henry Cabot Lodge of Nahant (R) | 468 | 267 | 43 | 52 | 830 |
| John A. Nicholls of Boston (Prob. Prog.) | 9 | [illegible] | 1 | 1 | 38 |
| John Isaac Sherman of Boston (S) | 4 | 5 | 10 | 6 | 25 |
| William E. Weeks of Everett (Prog.) | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 7 |
| Blanks | 15 | 22 | 6 | 5 | 48 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At Legal Meetings of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, in Congressional District Number Five, qualified to vote for State Officers holden on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, being the seventh day of said month, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Representative of this Commonwealth, from said District, in the sixty-eighth Congress of the United States, all the ballots given in therefor were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed, and were for the following persons namely!

| Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Andrew E. Barrett of Lowell (D) | 83 | 168 | 22 | 56 | 329 |
| John Jacob Rogers of Lowell (R) | 552 | 358 | 60 | 80 | 1050 |
| Blanks | 29 | 17 | 12 | 4 | 62 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk

1922

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
At Legal Meetings of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, in the Sixth Councillor District, qualified to vote for State Officers, holden on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, being the seventh day of said month, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Councillor to represent said District, in the Executive Council, all the ballots given in therefor were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed and were in the following manner, namely:

| Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Charles S. Smith of Lincoln (R) | 547 | 326 | 62 | 74 | 1009 |
| Blanks | 117 | 217 | 32 | 66 | 432 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
At a Legal Meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, in the Eighth Middlesex Senatorial District, qualified to vote for State Officers, holden on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, being the seventh day of said month, in the year one thousand nine hundred twenty-two, for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Senator to represent said district in the General Court, all the ballots given in therefor were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed, and were for the following persons, namely:

| Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Henry J. Draper of Lowell (D) | 102 | 209 | 23 | 62 | 396 |
| Frank H. Putnam of Lowell (R) | 517 | 283 | 54 | 67 | 921 |
| Blanks | 45 | 51 | 17 | 11 | 124 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore,
Town Clerk

1922

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
In accordance with the requirements of Section 129, Chapter 54, General Laws, I certify that the following is a true copy of the record of votes cast for all candidates for the office of Representative in the General Court, in each voting precinct in the Town of Chelmsford at an election holden November 7, 1922.

Attest:

Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk

| Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fred L. Snow of Dunstable (R) | 574 | 378 | 70 | 81 | 1103 |
| Blanks | 90 | 165 | 24 | 59 | 338 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At the Meetings of Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, in the Northern Criminal Law District, qualified to vote for State Officers, holden on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November being the seventh day of said month, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, for the purpose of giving in their votes for a District Attorney for said District, all the ballots given in therefor were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed, and were for the following persons, namely:

| Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Arthur K. Reading of Cambridge (R) | 434 | 216 | 36 | 46 | 732 |
| James C. Reilly of Lowell (D) | 208 | 300 | 50 | 88 | 646 |
| Blanks | 22 | 27 | 8 | 6 | 63 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore,
Town Clerk.

1922

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
To the Legal Voters & Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, in the County of Middlesex, qualified to vote for State Officers, holden on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, being the seventh day of said month, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Clerk of the Courts for said County, all the ballots given in therefor were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed, and were for the following persons, namely:

| Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 5 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ralph W. Smith of Arlington (R) | 533 | 329 | 62 | 76 | 1000 |
| Blanks | 131 | 214 | 32 | 64 | 441 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex, ss.

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Chelmsford in the County of Middlesex, holden on Tuesday, November 7th, A.D. 1922, being the biennial meeting for the election of Governor, the qualified voters of said town gave in their votes for a County Commissioner, which being sorted, counted, and public declaration thereof made, in open town meeting, by the Selectmen of said town, were as follows, to-wit:-

| Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 3 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Erson B. Barlow | 564 | 364 | 64 | 85 | 1077 |
| Blanks | 100 | 179 | 30 | 55 | 364 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk

1922

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford in the County of Middlesex, holden on Tuesday, November 7th, A.D. 1922, being the biennial meeting for the election of Governor, the qualified voters of said town gave in their vote for Lieutenant Governor, which being sorted, counted, and public declaration thereof made, in open town meeting, by the selectmen of said town, were as follows, to-wit:—

| Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sherman L. Kletcher of Hereford (R) | 520 | 318 | 64 | 41 | 943 |
| John M. Keegan of Concord (R) | 353 | 169 | 38 | 41 | 601 |
| Blanks | 455 | 599 | 86 | 58 | 1198 |
| Whole number of ballots | 1328 | 1086 | 88 | 140 | 2742 |

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore,
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex, ss.
At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Chelmsford in the County of Middlesex, holden on Tuesday, November 7th, A.D. 1922, being the biennial meeting for the election of Governor, the qualified voters of said town gave in their votes for a Register of Deeds for the Northern District, which being sorted, counted, and public declaration thereof made, in open town meeting, by the Selectmen of said town, were as follows, to-wit;-

| Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| William C. Purcell of Lowell (D) | 194 | 306 | 40 | 80 | 620 |
| Frank K. Stearns of Lowell (R) | 444 | 211 | 42 | 54 | 751 |
| Blanks | 26 | 26 | 12 | 6 | 70 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk

1922

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex, ss.

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford in the County of Middlesex, holden on Sunday, November 7th A.D. 1922, being the biennial meeting for the election of Governor, the qualified voters of said town gave in their votes for a County Treasurer to fill the vacancy in the unexpired term ending the first Wednesday of January, 1925, which being sorted, counted, and public declaration thereof made, in open town meeting, by the Selectmen of said town, were as follows, to-wit:—

| Candidates | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Charles E. Hatfield of Newton (R) | 541 | 324 | 60 | 77 | 1002 |
| Blanks | 123 | 219 | 34 | 63 | 439 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
At a Legal Meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town
of Chelmsford in the County of Middlesex
qualified to vote for State Officers holden on
the Tuesday next after the first Monday in
November, being the seventh day of said
month, in the year one thousand nine
hundred and twenty-two, for the purpose of
giving in their votes on the question

Referendum Question No 1 - Amendment
to Constitution.
Shall an amendment to the constitution
relative to roll calls in the General Court
on the adoption of preambles of emergency
laws, which received in a joint session
of the two houses held May 27, 1920, 164 votes in
the affirmative and 15 in the negative, and
in a joint session of the two Houses held May
24, 1921, receiving 261 votes in the affirma-
tive and 1 in the negative, be approved?

all the ballots given in were sorted,
counted, recorded and declaration made,
as by law is directed, and were as follows,
to wit:-

| | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 299 | 180 | 39 | 41 | 559 |
| No | 74 | 97 | 15 | 30 | 216 |
| Blanks | 291 | 266 | 40 | 69 | 666 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore,
Town Clerk

1922

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

At Legal Meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, in the County of Middlesex, qualified to vote for State Officers, holden on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, being the seventh day of said month, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, for the purpose of giving in their votes on the question

Referendum Question No. 2

Shall a law (Chapter 368 of the Acts of 1921) which provides that any voluntary association composed of five or more persons, and not subject to the first eleven sections of chapter 182 of the General Laws, may sue or be sued in its common name, that in any suit against such association service may be made upon certain designated officers thereof and that the separate property of any member thereof shall be exempt from attachment or execution in any such suit, which law was passed in the House of Representatives by a vote of 124 in the affirmative to 84 in the negative, and in the Senate by a majority not recorded, and was approved by His Excellency the Governor, be approved?

All the ballots given in were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed, and were as follows, to wit:—

| | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 283 | 162 | 27 | 31 | 503 |
| No | 100 | 120 | 36 | 43 | 299 |
| Blanks | 281 | 261 | 31 | 66 | 639 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
At Legal Meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, in the County of Middlesex, qualified to vote for State Officers, holden on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, being the seventh day of said month, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty two, for the purpose of giving in their votes on the question

Referendum Question No. 3.

Shall a law (Chapter 438 of the Acts of 1921) which provides that it shall be unlawful for any person to exhibit or display publicly in this Commonwealth any motion picture film unless such film has been submitted to and approved by the Commissioner of Public Safety, who may, subject to the appeal given by the act, disapprove any film or part thereof which is obscene, indecent, immoral, inhuman or tends to debase or corrupt morals or incite to crime, and may, subject to the approval of the Governor and Council, make rules and regulations for the enforcement of the act which law was passed in the House of Representatives by a majority not recorded, and in the Senate by 21 votes in the affirmative to 16 votes in the negative, and was approved by His Excellency the Governor, be approved?

all the ballots given in were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed, and were as follows, to wit:-

| | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 178 | 215 | 25 | 42 | 480 |
| No | 337 | 243 | 58 | 75 | 713 |
| Blanks | 129 | 85 | 11 | 23 | 248 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk

1922

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
At Legal Meetings of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, in the County of Middlesex, qualified to vote for State Officers, holden on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, being the seventh day of said month, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, for the purpose of giving in their votes on the question

Referendum Question No. 4.

Shall a law (Chapter 427 of the Acts of 1922) enacted to enforce in Massachusetts the Eighteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, which provides that except as authorized by the act, the manufacture, sale, barter, transportation, importation, exportation, delivery, furnishing or possessing of any intoxicating liquor, as defined in the act, shall be a criminal offence and be punished in the manner prescribed by the act, which law was passed in the House of Representatives by a majority of 134 in the affirmative to 68 in the negative, and in the Senate by a majority of 28 in the affirmative to 9 in the negative, and was approved by His Excellency the Governor, be approved

All the ballots given in were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed, and were as follows, to wit:-

| | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 408 | 237 | 46 | 46 | 737 |
| No | 134 | 189 | 38 | 58 | 419 |
| Blanks | 122 | 117 | 10 | 36 | 285 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

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Town Clerk

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
At Legal Meetings of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, in the County of Middlesex, qualified to vote for State Officers, holden on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, being the seventh day of said month, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, for the purpose of giving in their votes on the question

Referendum Question No. 5.

Shall a law (Chapter 459 of the Acts of 1922) which provides that a District Attorney shall be a member of the Bar of the Commonwealth, passed in the House of Representatives by a majority not recorded, and in the Senate by a majority not recorded, and approved by His Excellency the Governor, be approved?

all the ballots given in were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed, and were as follows, to wit:-

| | Pre 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 376 | 238 | 53 | 46 | 713 |
| No | 69 | 108 | 16 | 37 | 230 |
| Blanks | 219 | 197 | 25 | 57 | 498 |
| Whole number of ballots | 664 | 543 | 94 | 140 | 1441 |

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore,
Town Clerk

1922.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Amended Return of Votes

I certify that all the requirements of law have been complied with, and that the following is a true copy of the record of votes given for Senator in Congress in the Town of Chelmsford at the election held on the seventh day of November, 1922, as determined by a recount held November 15, 1922.

Washington Cook, Democrat.
William A. Gaston, Four Hundred seventy-nine
Henry Cabot Lodge, Eight Hundred thirty.
[illegible] A. Minnott, Thirty-eight.
John Wesley Sherman, Twenty-five.
William E. Weeks, Six.

Blanks, Fifty-one.
Whole number of ballots, Fourteen hundred forty-one.

James F. Leahey
Karl M. Perham
Samuel J. Kershaw
} Registrars of Chelmsford

Attest:
Justin L. Moore, Clerk.

Result of balloting for one representative in the General Court, Eleventh Middlesex District, State Election, Nov 7, 19[illegible].

| | Acton | Bedford | Carlisle | Chelmsford | Littleton | Pepperell | Westford | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fred L. Snow of Pepperell (R) | 517 | 321 | 111 | 1102 | 293 | 195 | 387 | 2927 |
| Alfred N. Hartford of Westford | | | | | | | 2 | 2 |
| Blanks | 136 | 129 | 26 | 338 | 50 | 54 | 217 | 950 |
| Whole number of ballots | 653 | 450 | 137 | 441 | 343 | 249 | 606 | 3877 |

Horace A. Puttle Town Clerk of Acton
Abbott R. Webber " " " Bedford
Jennie M. Dow " " " Carlisle
Justin L. Moore " " " Chelmsford
Eliot M. Young " " " Littleton
George R. Robeson " " " Pepperell
Charles L. Hildreth " " " Westford

Recorded by
Justin L. Moore
Town Clerk

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Warrant for Special Town Meeting at Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre, Monday Evening, Nov. 27, 1922.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss.

To Fred J. Vinal, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre, on Monday, the twenty seventh day of November current, at 8 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Art. 1 To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Dollars, or any and what other sum, out of the Overlay Reserve Fund, as an additional appropriation for the Police Department; or act in relation thereto.

Art. 2 To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of Fifty Dollars, or any and what other sum out of the Overlay Reserve Fund, to cover the expense of fuel, light, and water for the public buildings of the Town; or act in relation thereto.

Art. 3 To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of Eight Hundred Dollars, or any and what other sum, out of the Overlay Reserve Fund, with which to pay the balance due the Assessor for services during the current year 1922; or act in relation thereto.

Art. 4. To see what action, if any, the Town will take relative to making a contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation for street lighting; or act in relation thereto.

Art. 5 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation at the prevailing price for light for one additional light on Stedman Street; or act in relation thereto.

Art. 6 To see if the Town will appropriate any, and if any, what, sum, out of the Overlay Reserve Fund, for the Cemetery Department; or act in relation thereto.

Art. 7 To see if the Town will accept and allow Bethel Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen on Sept. 15, 1922, as described in their report duly filed in the Town Clerks office and shown on the plan therein referred to; or act in relation thereto.

Art. 8 To see if the Town will accept and allow Cypress Street as laid out by the Selectmen on Sept. 15, 1922, as described in their report duly filed in the Town Clerk's office and shown on the plan therein referred to or act in relation thereto.

Art 9 To see if the Town will accept and allow an extension of Woodbine Street as laid out by the Selectmen on Sept. 15, 1922 as described in their report duly filed in the Town Clerks office and shown on the plan therein referred to; or act in relation thereto.

And You Are Directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Centre of the town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford, and at the School House, East Chelmsford, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Hereof Fail Not, and make return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this seventeenth day of November, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-two.

George Rigby
William E. Fitzgerald
George H. Day
Selectmen of Chelmsford.

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Return

I have served the foregoing warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Fred S. Vinal
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford.

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, qualified to vote in town affairs held pursuant to Warrant at the Upper Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre on Monday, the twenty seventh day of November current, at 8 o'clock in the evening, the following business was transacted to wit:
The meeting was called to order by the Moderator Walter Perham and the Warrant read by the Moderator. In the absence of the Town Clerk the Moderator called for action to elect a Clerk to act at this meeting. A motion was made and carried that one ballot be cast for Edward J. Robbins as temporary clerk. One ballot was cast for Edward J. Robbins who was declared elected and was qualified by the Moderator.
Under Article 1 Voted that the sum of Two Hundred Dollars be appropriated out of the overlay reserve fund as an additional appropriation for the Police Department.
Under Article 2. Voted that the sum of Fifty Dollars be appropriated out of the overlay reserve fund as an additional appropriation for fuel, light and water for the public buildings of the town.
Under Article 3 A motion to appropriate Eight Hundred Dollars out of overlay reserve fund as an additional appropriation with which to pay the balance due the Assessors for service during the current year 1922 was lost.
Under Article 4 relative to making a contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation for street lighting it was voted that the matter be referred back to the Board of Selectmen and they to report to the town at the next Annual Town Meeting
Under Article 5, Voted to dismiss the article.
Under Article 6 Voted to dismiss the article.
Under Article 7. Voted that the town accept and allow Westland Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen on Sept. 15, 1922 as described in their report duly filed in the Town Clerks

office and shown on the plan therein referred to.
Under Article 8. Voted that the town accept and allow Cypress Street as laid out by the Selectmen on Sept. 15, 1922, as described in their report duly filed in the Town Clerk's office and shown on the plan therein referred to.
Under Article 9, Voted not to accept and allow extention of Woodbine Street as laid out by the Selectmen on Sept. 15, 1922.

Meeting dissolved at 9 P.M.

Walter Perham
Moderator

Edward J. Robbins
Clerk.

Warrant for Annual Town Meeting
February 5, 1923 and February 12, 1923.
Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss.

To Fred A. Pond a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in their several Polling Places, viz:
Precinct 1, Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre.
Precinct 2, Town Hall, North Chelmsford.
Precinct 3, Historical Hall, West Chelmsford.
Precinct 4, School House, East Chelmsford
On Monday, the Fifth Day of February, 1923, being the first Monday in said month, at 12 o'clock noon, for the following purposes:
To bring in their votes for the following officers:
Moderator for one year.
Town Clerk for one year (Unexpired term).
One Selectman for three years.
One Overseer of the Poor for three years.
One Assessor for three years.
Town Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for one year.
One member of Board of Health for two years (Unexpired term.)
One member of Board of Health for three years
One Constable for one year.
One School Committeeman for three years.
Two Trustees of Adams Library for three years.
Three Warden for one year.
One Sinking Fund Commissioner for three years.
One Cemetery Commissioner for three years
One Park Commissioner for three years.
all on one ballot, and to vote on the following question:
"Shall license be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this town?"
(The polls will be open from 12 M. to 8 P. M.)
and to meet in the Town Hall, at Chelmsford Centre, on the following

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Monday, the twelfth Day of February 1923, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon then and there to act upon the following Articles, viz:

Article 1. To hear reports of Town officers and committees or act in relation thereto.

Article 2. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray Town charges for the current year.

Article 3 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year; also in such other matters as may arise requiring in their judgment the action of such agent, and to employ counsel therefor.

Article 4. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year.

Article 5 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer a sum not exceeding only four Hundred Thirty and 15/100 Dollars ($430.15) with which to meet unpaid bills of 1922; or act in relation thereto.

Article 6 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($450) for State Aid or act in relation thereto.

Article 7 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer a sum not exceeding Three Thousand Dollars ($3000.) to be used as a Reserve Fund at the discretion of the Finance Committee, as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40 Section 6; or act in relation thereto.

Article 8 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Seventy-eight and 55/100 Dollars ($78.55) with which to reimburse

the North Chelmsford Fire District for accidental damage on or about Sept. 19, 1922 to a hydrant at North Chelmsford by an automobile driven by a special officer of the Town while in the performance of his official duties; or act in relation thereto.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Two Hundred Dollars ($200.) with which to build a retaining wall at the West Chelmsford School grounds; or act in relation thereto.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($150.) with which to pay the balance of the salary of the Treasurer for the fiscal year 1922; or act in relation thereto.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to adopt resolutions upon the death of Justin L. Moore; or act in relation thereto.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Dollars ($400), or some other amount, and elect a director, the money to be expended by and the director to serve in co-operation with the County Agricultural Trustees of the Middlesex County Bureau of Agriculture and Home Economics under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45, Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts; or act in relation thereto.

Article 13 To see if the Town will vote to borrow a sum not exceeding Five Thousand Dollars ($5000.), or what other sum for the purpose of continuing construction of the Acton Road, two thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the Commonwealth and the County of Middlesex; or act in relation thereto.

Article 14 To see if the Town will vote to borrow a sum not exceeding Seventy-five Hundred Dollars ($7500.), or what other sum, for the purpose of continuing construction of the Boston Road, two thirds of the expense to be borne equally

by the Commonwealth, and the County of Middlesex; or act in relation thereto.

Article 15 To see if the Town will vote to borrow a sum not exceeding Six Thousand Dollars ($6,000.), or some other sum, for the purpose of continuing construction of the Groton Road, two thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the Commonwealth and the County of Middlesex; or act in relation thereto.

Article 16 To see if the Town will appoint a committee to consider and report at a special Town meeting to be held not later than April 16, 1923, as to the advisability of applying to the Legislature for a special act authorizing limited town meetings, so called, and the election of town meeting members in Chelmsford along the lines provided in Chapter 36 of the Acts of 1921 relating to the Town of Brookline; or act in relation thereto.

Article 17 To see what action the Town will take relative to a new contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation for street lighting; or act in relation thereto.

Article 18 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation at the then prevailing price per light for the following additional lights; viz, one light at the corner of Sylvan Avenue and Subway Extension; nine lights on the road leading from Chelmsford Centre to West Chelmsford, the same to be located between the Pine Hill Road and the residence of Patrick Flynn and any, and if any, how many lights on Smith Street; or act in relation thereto.

Article 19 In the event of affirmative action under the preceding article, to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money for additional electric lights; or act in relation thereto.

Article 20 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate any, and if any, what sum for the purpose of widening the traveled part of Smith Street; or act in relation thereto.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 6 Chapter 148 of the General Laws relating to fire prevention; or act in relation thereto.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to give Chelmsford Post No. 212, American Legion, permission to use the Town Hall at North Chelmsford for the purpose of playing basket ball; or act in relation thereto.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fourteen Hundred Dollars ($1400.), or any and what other sum, for the purpose of constructing a concrete walk along the street lines of the Princeton Street School House and the Town Hall at North Chelmsford, or act in relation thereto.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.), or any and what other sum, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining sidewalks in the town; or act in relation thereto.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the School Committee to sell or exchange one of the two School barges now belonging to the Town; or act in relation thereto.

Article 26. In the event of affirmative action under the preceding article, to see if the Town will vote to authorize the School Committee to purchase a new school barge, and will raise and appropriate a sufficient sum for that purpose; or act in relation thereto.

Article 27 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1000.) with which to complete the grading of the Base ball Field at the High School Chelmsford Centre; or act in relation thereto.

Article 28 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1000.) with which to grade the Playground at the Highland Avenue School, North Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

And you are Directed to serve this Warrant by

posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Centre of the town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford and West Chelmsford, and at the School House, East Chelmsford, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding the first meeting aforesaid.

Hereof Fail Not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the first meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twenty-third day of January in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-three.

George Rigby
William E. Belleville
George H. Day
Selectmen of Chelmsford.

Return

I have served the foregoing warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said first meeting, as directed by vote of the Town.

Fred J. Vinal
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford.

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At a legal meeting held Feb. 5, 1923 at the four precincts of the Town of Chelmsford at 12 o'clock noon pursuant to Warrant, the following candidates for town officers received the number of votes set against their respective name.

| Office | Name of Candidate | | Pre. 1 | Pre. 2 | Pre. 3 | Pre. 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Moderator | Walter Parham | | 449 | 246 | 72 | 71 | 838 |
| Town Clerk | Paul Dutton | Recount | 217 | | | | 341 |
| | | | ~~218~~ | 61 | 23 | 40 | ~~342~~ |
| 1 year | Harold C. Pettirsen | Recount | 39 | 240 | | | 349 |
| | | | ~~40~~ | ~~244~~ | 42 | 28 | ~~354~~ |
| | Floy C. Thayer | Recount | 260 | 50 | | | 348 |
| | | | ~~259~~ | ~~49~~ | 18 | 20 | ~~346~~ |
| Selectman | George H. Day | | 275 | 162 | 60 | 28 | 525 |
| 3 years | David Ingham | | 228 | 160 | 20 | 63 | 471 |
| Trustee of | George H. Day | | 267 | 159 | 58 | 26 | 510 |
| the Poor 3 yrs | David Ingham | | 235 | 153 | 21 | 61 | 470 |
| | J. Clark Peterhout | | 347 | 215 | 61 | 54 | 677 |
| Board of Health | Dr. Durthoff | | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 3 yrs. | Curtis Aiken | | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Dion P. Eaton | | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 2 yrs | | | | | | | |
| Board of Health | George A. McNulty | | 349 | 210 | 61 | 84 | 704 |
| Treas & Collector | Erwin H. Sweeker | | 454 | 272 | 76 | 77 | 879 |
| Assessor | Les L. Fletcher | | 201 | 171 | 52 | 42 | 466 |
| | Warren Wright | | 303 | 138 | 33 | 41 | 515 |
| Constable | [illegible] | | 444 | 279 | 72 | 76 | 871 |
| | Frank J. Lupien | | 313 | 111 | 46 | 7 | 477 |
| School Committee | [illegible] | | 115 | 185 | 36 | 25 | 367 |
| 3 yrs. | George Small | | 67 | 50 | 2 | 60 | 179 |
| Trustee of | Frances Clark | | 445 | 177 | 50 | 36 | 708 |
| Adams Library | Wilson Waters | | 419 | 172 | 49 | 36 | 676 |
| Tree Warden | Charles R. Forsythe | | 426 | 203 | 66 | 64 | 759 |
| Ins. Fund Comm. | William J. Quigley | | 396 | 243 | 65 | 68 | 772 |
| Cemetery Commissioner | Bayard C. Dean | | 402 | 206 | 74 | 55 | 737 |
| Park Commissioner | Patrick S. Ward | | 388 | 245 | 74 | 70 | 777 |
| Shall licenses be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this Town | Yes | | 99 | 101 | 26 | 41 | 267 |
| | No | | 342 | 166 | 45 | 35 | 588 |

Town Officers elected Feb. 5, 1923.

| Office | Name of Officer | When Qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Moderator | Walter Perham | February 12, 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Selectman 3 yrs. | George H. Day | February 12, 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Director of Poor 3 yrs. | George H. Day | February 12, 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Town Clerk 1 yr. | Harold C. Petterson | February 12, 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Board of Health 3 yrs. | J. Clark Osterhout | February 12, 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Board of Health 2 yrs. | George A. McNulty | February 12, 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Treasurer | | | |
| Tax Collector | Ervin W. Swetser | February 9, 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Assessor for Three years | Warren Wright | February 12, 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Constable | Fred S. Vinal | February 17, 1923 | Edward Pelling J.P. |
| School Committee for 3 yrs. | Frank J. Lucier | February 12, 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Trustees of Adams Library | Frances Clark<br>Wilson Waters | | |
| Fire Warden | Charles R. Forsythe | | |
| Insurance Fund Commissioner | William J. Quigley | | |
| Cemetery Commissioner | Bayard C. Dean | | |
| Park Commissioner for 3 yrs. | Patrick S. Ward | | |

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At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant at the Town Hall, Center Village, Monday Feb. 12 1923 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, the following business was transacted to wit: The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Walter Perham, and the Warrant read by the Town Clerk, Edward J. Robbins.

Under Article 1 John J. Monahan reported for the committee appointed to investigate a Town Water System. It was voted to accept the report of this committee as printed as a report of progress and that the committee continue in office and report at any future Town meeting.

Eben T. Adams reported for the Westlands School building Committee. He reported the committee had attended to the duty of spending unexpended balance for the year 1921 for clearing land, also that the appropriation of $1,000.00 for grading the grounds had been expended according to their best judgment. The report was accepted.

Report of committee on Fire Apparatus was accepted.

The Town Report was accepted as printed.

Under Article 2.

It was voted to raise and appropriate the following sums to defray Town charges for the Fiscal year ending December 31 1923

| | |
|---|---|
| **Legislative** | |
| Moderators Salary | 10 00 |
| **Executive** | |
| Selectmen's Salaries | 650 00 |
| Maintenance | 100 00 |
| **Town Clerk and Accountant** | |
| Salary | 1800 00 |
| Maintenance | 175 00 |
| Clerk Hire | 20 00 |

## Collector and Treasurer

| | |
|---|---|
| Salary | 1200 00 |
| Maintenance | 325 00 |
| Bond | 220 00 |

## Assessors

| | |
|---|---|
| Salaries | 800 00 |
| Maintenance | 200 00 |
| Transportation | 150 00 |

## Law Dept.

| | |
|---|---|
| Town Counsel | 300 00 |

## Election and Registration

| | |
|---|---|
| Registrars Salaries | 100 00 |
| Election Officers | 175 00 |
| Other Expenses | 50 00 |

## Appraisers

| | |
|---|---|
| Salaries | 15 00 |
| Maintenance | 3 00 |

## Public Buildings

| | |
|---|---|
| Janitors Salaries | 600 00 |
| Fuel Light and Water | 700 00 |
| Repairs and Furniture | 800 00 |
| Other Expenses | 25 00 |

## Public Protection

| | |
|---|---|
| Police Dept. | 1800 00 |
| Hydrant Service: | |
| Chelmsford Water District | 750 00 |
| North Chelmsford Fire District | 750 00 |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | 150 00 |
| Animal Inspection | 200 00 |
| Tree Warden | 100 00 |
| Forest Fires | 700 00 |
| Fish and Game Warden | 100 00 |

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## Fire Department

| | |
|---|---|
| Salaries | 3100 00 |
| Fuel, Light and Water | 500 00 |
| Janitors | 250 00 |
| Building Repairs | 500 00 |
| Telephone and Alarms | 350 00 |
| Labor and Expenses at Fires | 600 00 |
| Maintenance of Apparatus | 500 00 |
| New Equipment | 375 00 |
| Rent at West Fire House | 150 00 |
| Rent at Centre Fire House | 200 00 |
| Supplies | 175 00 |
| Expense of Engineers | 75 00 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Moth Department | 2684 74 |

## Health Department

| | |
|---|---|
| Salaries | 225 00 |
| Agents | 100 00 |
| Aid | 625 00 |
| Maintenance | 50 00 |
| Meat Inspection | 700 00 |

## Poor Department

| | |
|---|---|
| Overseers Salaries | 225 00 |
| Maintenance | 15 00 |
| Outside Poor | 5000 00 |

## Almshouse

| | |
|---|---|
| Superintendents Salary | 900 00 |
| Other Expenses | 2500 00 |

## Soldiers Benefits

| | |
|---|---|
| Soldiers Relief | 500 00 |

## Highways

| | |
|---|---|
| Sup't Salary | 2000 00 |
| General Highways | 7000 00 |
| Road Binder | 3000 00 |
| Truck Maintenance | 5000 00 |
| Cutting Brush | 500 00 |
| River Neck Road | 575 00 |
| West Chelmsford Road | 550 00 |
| Dalton Road | 120 00 |
| Concord Road | 280 00 |
| Hunt Road | 140 00 |
| Robin Hill Road | 280 00 |
| Carlisle Street | 280 00 |
| Middlesex Street (R.R. crossing easterly towards Highland) | 800 00 |
| Turnpike Road | 575 00 |
| Street Lighting | 9075 00 |

## Libraries

| | |
|---|---|
| Adams Library | 2000 00 |
| No. Chelmsford Library Corporation | 1200 00 |

## School Department

| | |
|---|---|
| Sup't Salary | 3000 00 |
| Administration | 800 00 |
| Teachers and Supervisors | 55,000 00 |
| Books and Supplies | 4800 00 |
| New Equipment | 1000 00 |
| Transportation | 8500 00 |
| Janitors Salaries | 6100 00 |
| Fuel | 7000 00 |
| Upkeep of buildings and grounds | 4600 00 |
| Janitors Supplies | 800 00 |
| Light and Power | 8000 00 |
| School Nurse Salary | 1200 00 |
| School Nurse Transportation | 300 00 |
| School Nurse Supplies | 200 00 |
| Furniture and Furnishings | 300 00 |
| School Physicians | 400 00 |
| Vocational School Plus deficit of 1922 | 2200 00 |

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Cemeteries

| | |
|---|---|
| Commissioners Salaries | 105 00 |
| Pine Ridge Cemetery | 500 00 |
| Forefathers Cemetery | 300 00 |
| Hart Pond Cemetery | 300 00 |
| Riverside Cemetery | 200 00 |
| West Chelmsford Cemetery | 200 00 |

General

| | |
|---|---|
| Public Parks | 700 00 |
| Band Concerts | 250 00 |
| Memorial Day | 225 00 |
| Insurance Fund | 500 00 |
| Town Reports | 741 00 |
| Village Clock | 30 00 |
| Aid to Agriculture and Home Economics (Under Article 12) | 400 00 |
| For grading grounds at Highland Ave. School (Under Article 28) | 1000 00 |

Appropriated the following sums from money already available in the Treasury.

| | |
|---|---|
| Street Lights, December 1922 | 824 70 |
| Overdraft, Truck Maintenance | 7 00 |
| Grading, around Monument, No. Chelmsf. Common Under direction of Park Dept. | 300 00 |
| Dedication of Monument No. Chelmsf. Common (Under Selectmen) | 400 00 |
| For arsenic of lead (moth Dept) | 800 00 |
| For unpaid bills of 1922 (Under Article 5) | 2418 45 |
| For State Aid (Under Article 6) | 550 00 |
| For Reserve Fund (Under Article 7) | 1000 00 |
| For Hydrant Rentage (Under Article 8) | 78 55 |
| For Retaining Wall at W. Chelmsfd (Under Article 9) | 200 00 |
| For Balance of Salary of Town Treas. (Under Article 10) | 150 00 |
| For Widening Smith St. (Under Article 20) | 400 00 |
| For Sidewalk Construction at No. Chelmsf. (Under Article 23) | 1400 00 |

Voted to borrow the following sums of money for the following purposes:

Construction of Boston Road (Under Article 14) 6000 00
Construction of Groton Road (Under Article 15) 6000 00

Under Article 3 Voted that the Selectmen be and they hereby are authorized to act as agent of the Town in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year, also in such other matters which may arise requiring in their judgment the action of such agent, and to employ counsel therefor.

Under Article 4 Voted that the Treasurer be and hereby is authorized and empowered to borrow money with the approval of the Selectmen from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning Jan. 1 1923 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of such financial year.

Under Article 5 Voted to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of $2418.45 with which to meet unpaid bills of 1922

Under Article 6 Voted to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of $550.00 for State Aid.

Under Article 7 Voted that the sum of One thousand dollars may and the same hereby is appropriated from Overlay Reserve to be used as a reserve fund at the discretion of the Finance Committee as provided in General Laws Chapter 40 Section 6

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Under Article 8 — Voted to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of $78.55 with which to re-imburse the North Chelmsford Fire District for accidental damage on or about September 19 1922 to a hydrant at North Chelmsford by an automobile driven by a special officer of the Town while in the performance of his official duties.

Under Article 9 — Voted that the sum of two hundred (200) dollars be and the same hereby is appropriated from the money already in the hands of the Treasurer with which to build a retaining wall at the West Chelmsford school grounds.

Under Article 10 — Voted that the sum of $150.00 be appropriated from money in the Treasury to pay E. W. Swetten the balance of salary due for the year 1922 as Town Treasurer and Collector of taxes, and that the Selectmen be and hereby are instructed to proceed forthwith to collect any and all moneys paid to Town Officials in or for the year 1914, in excess of their legal salaries.

Under Article 11

The following resolutions were unanimously by a rising vote.

Whereas, by the sudden death of Mr. Justin L Moore, Clerk and Accountant of this Town, the Town of Chelmsford has lost an upright and able citizen;

Resolved, That, while we reverently bow to this dispensation, we record our sorrow for the loss of a friend, a citizen, and an official, who, as a man, was highly respected and trusted, as a citizen, was held in honor and ever manifested a keen interest in the welfare of the Town, and stood for what was for its highest and best interests, and, as an official, gave conspicuous, loyal, and efficient service in a just and conscientous regard for public duty and a capable management of the Town's business.

And Further Resolved, That the Town Clerk be directed to devote a page to the memory of Mr. Moore, and a copy of these Resolutions be neatly engrossed and sent to Mrs. Moore

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Under Article 12 — Voted to raise and appropiate the sum of $400 and elect a director at this meeting the money to be expended by and the director to serve in co-operation with the County Agricultural Trustees of the Middlesex County Bureau of Agriculture and Home Economics under the provisions of Section 40 to 45 Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts. Parley W Kimball was elected director.

Under Article 13 — Voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article 14 — Voted that the Town Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to borrow a sum not exceeding $6,000, at a rate of interest not exceeding 6% per annum payable semi-annually and to issue therefor five promissory notes each in the same principal sum, payable at the expiration of one, two, three, four, and five years from the date thereof, each note to be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by a majority of the Board of Selectmen, and that the proceeds be used to continue the construction of the Boston Road, so-called, two thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the Commonwealth and the County of Middlesex.

136 voted in the affirmative
1 voted in the negative

Under Article 15

Voted that the Town Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to borrow a sum not exceeding $6,000 at a rate of interest not exceeding 6% per annum, payable semi annually and to issue therefor five permissory notes each in the same principal sum, payable at the expiration of one, two, three, four, and five years from the date thereof, each note to be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by a majority of the Board of Selectmen, and that the proceeds to be used to continue the construction of the Groton Road so-called, two thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the Commonwealth and the County of Middlesex.

136 voted in the affirmative
1 voted in the negative.

Under Article 16

Voted that a committee consisting of John J. Monahan, Sidney E. Dupee, James P. Cunnigan, Berger Peterson and Hubert E. Ellis be appointed to investigate the subject matter of this Article, and report at the next annual Town meeting, this committee to act as a joint committee with the Finance Committee and Selectmen.

Under Article 17

Voted that the Selectmen be instructed to petition the Public Utilities Commission to establish the rates of electric service furnished by said Lowell Electric Light Co-operation in the Town of Chelmsford, if impossible to secure a renewal of previous contract.

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| Under Article 18 | Voted to dismiss this article |
| Under Article 19 | Disposed of by negative action under Article 18 |
| Under Article 20 | Voted to appropiate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of $400 for the purpose of widening the travelled part of Smith Street. |
| Under Article 21 | Voted that the Town accept the provisions of Section 6 of Chapter 148 of the General Laws relating to fire prevention. |
| Under Article 22 | Relative to permission to use the Town Hall at North Chelmsford for the purpose of playing basket ball the Article was defeated by a hand vote of 74 in the affirmative and 77 in the negative. |
| Under Article 23 | Voted that the Town appropiate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of $1400 for the purpose of constructing a concrete walk along the street lines of Princeton Street School house and the Town Hall at North Chelmsford. |

Under Article 24 — Relative to establishing and maintaining sidewalks, the Article was dismissed.

Under Article 25 — A motion to authorize the School Committee to sell or exchange one of the school barges was lost.

Under Article 26 — Disposed of by negative action under Article 25.

Under Article 27 — The Article was dismissed.

Under Article 28 — Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $1000 with which to grade the Playgrounds at the Highland Avenue School. A hand vote was taken, 38 voted in the affirmative and 36 in the negative.

On motion of W. C. Belleville it was voted that the sum of $20,000 be appropriated from Excess and Deficiency to apply towards appropriations made in 1923.

Under Article 2 during discussion of salary of Supt. of Schools Roscoe E. Prame the retiring Supt. was accorded a rising vote of appreciation for his efficient service as Supt. of the Chelmsford Schools during his incumbancy.

Voted that the meeting be dissolved at 5.50 P.M.

Walter Perham Moderator — Harold C. Patterson Town Clerk.

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## Officers Appointed by the Selectmen

| Office | Name of Officer | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Henry F. Levine | Apr. 24 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Finance | John C. Monahan | " 26 1923 | " " |
| Committee | Emile E. Paignon | " 26 1923 | " " |
| | C. George Armstrong | | |
| | James P. Cunnigan | " 30 1923 | " " |
| Town Council | Frederick A. Fisher | | |
| Supt of Streets | Charles R. Forsythe | Feb. 21 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Supt of Moths | Charles R. Forsythe | Feb. 21 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Registrar of Voters | Walter T. Monahan | March 6 1923 | Louis J. Ellinwood |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | Curtis A. Aiken | Feb 23 1923 | Patrick Haley |
| Forest Warden | Arnold C. Perham | Jan 31 1923 | Edward Robbins |
| Fish & Game Warden | Charles F. Morse | Feb 27 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Supt of Indigent Sleighs & Sellers Burials | Walter Perham | Feb. 21 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Janitors | Albert H. Davis Centre | Feb 21 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | Justin J. Potter North | Feb. 21 1923 | Walter Chase |
| Fence Viewers | Herbert C. Sweeter | Feb. 20 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | Charles R. Forsythe | Feb 21 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | James P. Cunnigan | March 5 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Field Drivers | Fred I. Vinal | Feb. 26 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | George Small | March 1 1923 | Geo. B. Fuller |
| | William Reid | June 20 1923 | Town Clerk. |
| Appraisers | Emile E. Paignon | March 8 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | John F. Parker | | |
| | Albert H. Davis | Feb. 21 1923 | Town Clerk |

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| Office | Name of Officer | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| | F. Vincent Kelley | Feb 24 1923 | Minot A. Swan |
| | James R. Cookin | Feb 24 1923 | Jerry Gilbride |
| | Charles O. Robbins | | |
| | George Small | March 1 1923 | Geo. O. Fulton |
| | Charles R. Forsythe | Feb. 21 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Special | George C. Moore Jr. | Feb 24 1923 | B.B. Felton Southern Pines N.C. |
| Police | Morton B. Wright | Feb. 21 1923 | Walter Chase |
| Officers | Charles F. Morse | Feb 27 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | Justin J. Potter | Feb. 21 1923 | Walter Chase |
| | Albert H. Davis | Feb. 21 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | Charles Finnick | Feb 23 1923 | Frank Fay |
| | Edwin E. Davis | Feb. 21 1923 | Wm H. Hall |
| | Archibald Cooke | March 1 1923 | L. J. Ellinwood |
| | William Reid | Feb 23 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | Henry Stively | | |
| | John O'Brien | March 14 1923 | W.T. Picken |
| | Rolliston P. Kidder | | |
| | Arnold C. Perham | Feb. 23 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Special | John E. Hogan | | |
| Police | Lorin J. Ellinwood | Feb. 28 1923 | Fred A. Sears |
| Officers for | Joseph H. Ryan | March 5 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Fire Only | Wilhelm T. Johnson | | |
| | Henry Quinn | | |
| Measurer of Sawdust | Pearl T. Murrell | Feb 27 1923 | W. T. Picken |
| Weighers of Hay | Frederic Tangely | March 7 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | Myron A. Green | March 28 1923 | John Valentine |

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| Office | Officers Name | When Qualified | By Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Myron A. Queen | March 28 1923 | John Valentine |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | Aug 30 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Measurers of Lumber | Herbert C Sweeten | Feb. 20 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | Pearl T. Murrell | Feb. 21 1923 | W. T. Picken |
| | Edward A. Voudal | Feb 27 1923 | " " " |
| | James A Berton | Feb. 24 1923 | " " " |
| | Joseph Erwin | Feb 26 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | Francis O Hutton | | |
| | Arthur La Price | March 1 1923 | W. T. Picken |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | Aug. 30 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Weighers of Coal | Fredric Tangley | March 7 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | James P. Hunnigan | March 5 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | George X. Pope | | |
| | John J. Hunnigan | | |
| | James F. Leahey | Feb 24 1923 | W. T. Picken |
| Weighers of Meters | James Long | Feb 24 1923 | Walter Close |
| | James P. Hunnigan | March 5 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | George X. Pope | | |
| | Paul McGregor | | |
| | William Brown | | |
| | Fredric Tangley | March 7 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | James F Hunnigan | Feb. 27 1923 | John A Valentine |
| | Walter Perham | February 21 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | Sidney E. Perham | February 19 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | Sinai Simard | February 23 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | Michael Scollan | Apr. 1923 | Town Clerk |

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| Office | Officers Name | When Qualified | By Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Evin W. Sweeten | Feb. 24 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | Frederic Tangley | March 7 1923 | " " |
| Measurers | Myron A. Queen | March 28 1923 | John Watson |
| of Wood | Herbert C. Sweeten | Feb. 21 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | Aug 30 1923 | Town Clerk. |
| | Hosmer W. Sweeten | February 21 1923 | Town Clerk |
| | Pearl T. Murrell | Feb 27 1923 | W. T. Picken |
| Animal Inspector | Arnold C. Perham | | |
| Fire | Arnold C Perham | | |
| Engineers | John E. Hogan | | |
| | Loren J. Ellinwood | Feb. 28 1923 | Fred. A. Snow |
| Special | Daniel M. Lynch | | |
| Police | Charles O. Hamilton | March 6 1923 | Raymond Bourgoin |
| Officers | Bernard J. Judge | | |
| Without Pay | Frank H. Murphy | March 12 1923 | Ray Bourgoin |
| | Walter L. Kirlan | March 9 1923 | Edward Tuttle |
| | Michael J. Connors | Feb. 23 1923 | Lillie S. Cutler |
| | Andrew W. Hunter | | |
| | Fred A. Cotter | Feb. 23 1923 | Lillie S. Cutler |
| | William G. Moree | March 8 1923 | Lillie S. Cutler |
| | Leo A. Hoban | March 8 1923 | Lillie S. Cutler |
| | Charles Brown | Feb. 23 1923 | Lillie S. Cutler |
| | James R. Maloney | | |
| | Mabel G. Armstrong | Feb. 27 1923 | Raymond Bourgoin |
| | Matilda Costello | Feb. 27 1923 | Edward W. Tuttle |
| | Emily M. Skilton | Feb 27 1923 | Edward W. Tuttle |
| | James Hibard Jr. | April 7 1923 | John Valentine |
| | Joseph Fallon | Apr 6. 1923 | John Valentine |

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| Office | Name of Officer | When Qualified | By Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Meat Inspector | William S. Hall | March 30 '23 | Town Clerk |
| Town Pounds | Town Farm Barn<br>James A Wotton Barn | | |
| Supt Almshouse | (Ross S. Spaulding) (Second) | | |
| | Frank Hannaford | | |
| Matron Almshouse | (Lizzie I. Spaulding) Resigned | | |
| | Mrs. Frank Hannaford | | |

Warrant for Special Town Meeting
at Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre,
Monday Evening, April 30 1923

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex ss.

To Fred I. Vinal, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford:
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre, on Monday, the thirtieth day of April current, at 8 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Article 1.
To hear and act upon the report of the the Selectmen relative to a new contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation; or act in relation thereto.

Article 2.
To see if the Town will accept the provisions of Section 37 Chapter 82 of the General Laws relating to the establishment of a building line; or act in relation thereto.

Article 3.
At the request of the Westlands Improvement Association, to see if the Town will authorize the use of a portion of the Westlands School property adjacent to the land known as the Austin Place on the Walton Road as a site for the fire house now located on Chelmsford Street near the "Subway", so called; or act in relation thereto.

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Article 4.
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate an additional sum of Two thousand dollars for General Highway purposes; or act in relation thereto.

Article 5.
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, and if any how much, with which to meet the expense of employing two police officers; or act in relation thereto.

Article 6.
To see if the Town will vote to remove the pump and watering trough at the South end of Central Square, so called, at Chelmsford Centre, and raise and appropriate a sufficient sum for the purpose; or act in relation thereto.

Article 7.
To see what action, if any, the Town will take relative to the pump, watering troughs, trees, and fence at Central Square at Chelmsford Centre, with a view to improving the appearance of the Square and the promotion of the public safety and convenience, and raise and appropriate a sum sufficient for the purposes; or act in relation thereto.

Article 8.
To see if the Town will vote to remove the pump and watering trough at the end of the Common at North Chelmsford, and raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money for the purpose; or act in relation thereto.

Article 9-
To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation for an additional light at or near the corner of Sylvan Avenue and Subway Extension; or act in relation thereto.

Article 10-
To see if the Town will vote to accept and allow an extension of Woodbine Street as laid out by the Selectmen on Sept 15 1922 as described in their report duly filed in the Town Clerk's office and shown on a plan therein referred to; or act in relation thereto.

Article 11-
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Dollars to be used at the discretion of the School Committee to purchase a truck for the transportation of the school children, and to meet other necessary transportation needs of that department; or act in relation thereto.

Article 12-
To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money in the Treasury the sum of Three Thousand Dollars for fuel for school buildings; or act in relation thereto.

Article 13-
To see if the Town will authorize the School Committee to sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of the school truck G.M.C. which is now in a damaged condition; or act in relation thereto.

Article 14.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars, the same to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen, to complete the grading of the Athletic field at the rear of the High School at Chelmsford Centre; or act in relation thereto.

Article 15.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Hundred Dollars, or any and what other sum to be used in grading and gravelling Maple Ave and Wordsbin Street at the Westlands, so called, or act in relation thereto.

Article 16.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Dollars, or any and what other sum, to be used in grading and gravelling Sylvan avenue and Subway Extension at the Westlands so called; or act in relation thereto.

Article 17.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seventy Five Dollars, or any and what other sum, for the purpose of placing signboards at the corners of accepted streets in that part of the Town known as the Westlands; or act in relation thereto.

Article 18-

To see if the Town will appoint a committee of three, or any and what other number, to investigate School house conditions at the East Village, and to obtain tentative plans and specifications and estimates of the cost of additional rooms and alterations at the East Chelmsford School House, so called, or act in relation thereto.

Article 19-

In the event of the affirmative action under the preceding article, to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or appropriate from moneys already in the Treasury, the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, or any and what other sum, to be expended by the committee for the purpose for which they were appointed, or act in relation thereto.

Article 20-

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate from moneys already in the Treasury, the sum of One Hundred Seventy Eight and 96/100 Dollars, with which to pay outstanding bills incurred in 1922 in the Cemetery Department and Outside Aid Department; or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Outer Town of Chelmsford, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford, and at the School House, East Chelmsford, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting

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Hereof fail not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this Twenty-first day of April in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty three

George Rigby
William E. Belleville
George W. Hay
Selectmen of Chelmsford.

Return

I have served this foregoing warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said meeting, as directed by vote of the Town

Fred I Vincent
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant at the Town Hall, Centre Village, Monday Evening April 30 1923 at 8 o'clock P.M. the following business was transacted to wit: The meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Burham and Warrant read by Town Clerk Harold C. Cutler

Under Article 1—
Voted to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation as per agreement entered into on Sept 18 1917

Under Article 2—
Voted that the Town accept Section 37 of Chapter 82 relating to the establishment of a building line.

Under Article 3—
Voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article 4—
Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Two thousand dollars ($2000.00) as an additional appropriation for the Highway Department.

Under Article 5—
Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars ($500.00) as an additional appropriation for the Police Department.

Under Article 6—
By a hand vote this Article was defeated, 72 voted in the affirmative and
81 " " " negative.

Tellers were Isaac Knight and George McMulty sworn in by Moderator Walter Burham

Under Article 7.
Voted to defer this Article until the next Annual Town meeting.

Under Article 8.
Voted to remove the watering trough at the Common in North Chelmsford under the direction of the Selectmen, the expense to come from the General Highway account.

Under Article 9.
Voted to dismiss this Article.

Under Article 10.
Voted to accept Woodbine St as laid out by the Selectmen on Sept 15 1922 as described in their report duly filed in the Town Clerks office as shown on the plan therein referred to.

Under Article 11.
Voted that the Town authorize and empower the School Committee to purchase as a part of the equipment of the School Department one motor truck of such capacity and make as they may approve, at a cost not to exceed in all the sum of Five Thousand ($5000) Dollars, and that the Town raise and appropriate therefor the sum of Sixteen Hundred and Eighty Dollars, and borrow the balance at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually and issue therefor three promissory notes, each for the principal sum of one third the total amount borrowed, payable at the expiration of one, two, and three years, from date thereof, such note or notes to be signed by the Treasurer and Countersigned by a majority of the Selectmen

Hand vote taken
109 yes
2 no.
Isaac Knight and George McPhetty Tellers

Under Article 12 –
Voted that the Town appropriate from money already in the Treasury the sum of Twenty-five hundred dollars ($2500.00) as additional money for fuel for the schools.

Under Article 13 –
Voted to authorize the School Committee to sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of the school truck E. M. C. which is now in a damaged condition.

Under Article 14 –
Voted to dismiss this Article.

Under Article 15 –
Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty dollars ($250.00) to be used in grading and gravelling Maple Ave and Woodbine Street in the Westlands so called.

Under Article 16 –
Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred and Fifty dollars ($350.00) to be used in grading and gravelling Sylvan Avenue and Subway Extension at the Westlands so called

Under Article 17 –
This Article was deferred until the next annual Town meeting.

Under Article 18 –
Voted that the Town appoint a committee of three, namely, Charles H. Ellis, of the Center Birger Pettersen of the East and J. P. Hunnigan of the North Village, to investigate school house conditions at the East Village, and

to obtain tentative plans and specifications and estimates of the costs of additional rooms and alterations at the East Chelmsford School House so called and to report at a future Town meeting

Under Article 19.
Voted that the Town appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer, the sum of Two Hundred dollars ($200.00) to be expended by the committee appointed under Article 18, for the purpose for which they were appointed.

Under Article 20.
Voted to appropriate from money already in the Treasury the sum of Twenty dollars ($20.00) with which to pay outstanding bills incurred in 1922 in the Outside Aid Department.

Voted that the meeting be dissolved at 10.30 P.M.

Walter Perham Moderator  Harry C. Patterson Town Clerk

Warrant for Special Town Meeting
at Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre,
Monday Evening, July 2 1923

Middlesex ss.
To Fred J. Vinal, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre, on Monday, the second day of July next, at 8.15 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Article 1.

To see if the Town will vote to accept a deed from Walter Perham of a triangular lot of vacant land situated at the corner of Chelmsford Street and Keltin Road to be forever held by the Town as a public park subject to the restrictions therein contained; or act in relation thereto.

Article 2.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate an additional sum not exceeding Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00) to be expended by the Board of Health for the purpose of maintaining and carrying on the work of the Health Dept. or act in relation thereto.

Article 3.

At the request of the Westlands Improvement Association, to see if the Town will vote to authorize the removal of the Firehouse now located on Chelmsford Street near the "Subway", so called, to the southerly

corner of land now owned by the Town of Chelmsford on Halton Road and known as the Westlands School property; or act in relation thereto.

Article 4–

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer, an additional sum of Three Hundred Twenty Three and 76/100 Dollars ($323.76) with which to pay bills contracted for grading the ground around the Soldier's Monument at North Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

Article 5–

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate an additional sum of Three Hundred Dollars ($300.00) for the purpose of oiling a portion of Stedman Street, Sylvan Ave, Subway Extension, and Halton Road, each so called; or act in relation thereto.

Article 6–

To see if the Town will vote to borrow the sum of Twenty thousand Dollars ($20,000.00) with which to make necessary alterations at the East Chelmsford School House, so-called, in order to provide two more rooms to be used for school purposes; or act in relation thereto.

Article 7–

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or borrow, the sum of Four Thousand Dollars ($4000.00) or any and what other sum, with which to ~~purchase~~ for playground purposes a lot of land adjoining the

present school house property in East Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

Article 8 –

Upon the petition of not less than ten per cent of the registered voters, to see if the Town will vote to accept Sections 21 to 28 inclusive of Chapter 136 of the General Laws entitled, "Observance of the Lord's Day;" so that it will be lawful to take part in or witness athletic outdoor sports or games, subject to the statutory restrictions, on the Lord's Day between the hours of two and six in the afternoon: or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by Posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices, in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford, and at the School House, East Chelmsford, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting

Hereof Fail Not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this Twenty Fifth day of June in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and Twenty three

George Rigby
William E. Belleville
George W. Hay
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days before the time of said meeting, as directed by vote of the Town
Fred I Vinal Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

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At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant at the Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre Village on Monday Evening, July 2 1923 at 8¼ P M. the following business was transacted to wit: The meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Perham and the Warrant read by Town Clerk Harold C. Patterson.

Under Article 1
By Motion of James P Hannigan this Article was unanimously accepted.

Under Article 2
Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Dollars for the work of maintaining and carrying on the Health Dept. Motion made by J Clark Patchen

Under Article 3
Under this Article it was voted that the location of the Fire House be left to the Selectmen and Board of Fire Engineers to find a suitable location and if unable, to report at a future Town meeting.
Motion was made by an unknown and amended by an unknown, Amendment to amendment made by Mr. W E. Billerill

Under Article 4
Voted to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasury $323.76 with which to pay unpaid bills for the grading of the ground around the monument at North Chelmsford.
Motion made by Mr Ward

Under Article 5.

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 with which to oil a portion of Stedman St. Sylvan Ave Subway Extension, and Walton Road.
Motion made by an unknown.

Under Article 6.

Voted that the Town borrow the sum of Twenty Thousand ($20,000) dollars with which to change the East Chelmsford School House, so called, from a one and one half story building to a two and one half story building, so as to furnish two more rooms for school purposes and with which to build an addition to said school house for the purpose of providing better toilet and other accomodations, and equip and furnish such new rooms and addition:
And that the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to borrow said sum at a rate of interest not exceeding 6% per annum payable semi annually and to issue therefor ten promissory notes each in the principal sum of Two Thousand ($2000) dollars, payable at the expiration of 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 years from date thereof each note to be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by a majority of the Board of Selectmen.
This motion made by Mr. Lupien and seconded by Mr. Ellis.
499 voted in the affirmative, the vote was unanimous
A Motion made by Mr. Meagher that the same committee continue as a building committee
Motion amended by Mr Ellis that, Jos P. Flanagan Sergt Patterson and Frank Lupien act as the Building Committee and it was so voted.
Mr. Louis Ellinwood and Sidney Hyde Tellers.

Under Article 7.

Under this Article it was voted to refer the matter of purchasing this land and buildings to the School Committee and to report at the next annual town meeting.

Under Article 8.

Under this Article it was voted that the Town accept sections 21-28 inclusive of Chapter 136 of the General Laws relating to sports and games to be played on the Lord's Day.

Motion made by Mr. Varney that a ballot vote be taken, defeated

Motion made by Samuel Renshaw that a roll call vote be taken

Motion made by Mr. Audrin for reconsideration of roll call vote carried

407 voted in the affirmative

175 " " " negative

Motion made by Mr Audrin that vote be taken by show of hands, carried

260 voted yes for Sunday Baseball

258 " no " " "

Voted that the meeting be dissolved at 11 P.M.

Walter Perham Moderator — Harold C. Patterson, Town Clerk

Warrant for Special Town
Meeting at Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford
Centre, Monday Evening August 13 1923

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex ss.
To Fred J. Vinal, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford:
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of the said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre, on Monday the thirteenth day of August next, at 8 1/2 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two thousand ($2000) dollars and borrow the further sum of Thirty Three Thousand ($33000) dollars making a total of thirty Five thousand ($35000) dollars with which to make necessary alterations at the East Chelmsford School House, so called, in order to provide two rooms in addition to those authorized at a special meeting held on July 2 1923 so that four more rooms will be provided at a cost, including the appropriation of Twenty-Thousand ($20000) dollars at the special meeting of July 2 of Fifty-Five Thousand ($55,000) dollars, such rooms to be used for school purposes; or act in relation thereto.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the additional sum of Two Hundred ($200) dollars for the Health Department; or act in relation thereto.

(over)

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Office in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford and West Chelmsford, and at the School House in East Chelmsford, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting

Hereof Fail Not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the said meeting.

Given under our hands this third day of August, in the year of our Lord Nineteen Hundred Twenty Three.

George Rigby
William E. Bellavilla
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said meeting, as directed by vote of the Town

Fred J. Vinal
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant at the Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Center Village on Monday Evening August 13 1923 at 8½ P.M. the following business was transacted to wit:

The meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Perham and the Warrant read by Town Clerk Harold C. Pettirem.

By motion of Mr. Frank Lupin it was voted to postpone this meeting to Monday Evening at 8½ P.M. August 27 1923

Harold C. Pettirem
Town Clerk

Walter Perham
Moderator

At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to postponement of meeting held August 13 1923 the following business was transacted at the Upper Town Hall Chelmsford Centre Mass. on August 27 1923

Under Article 1

By motion of Mr. James P. Hannigan this article was dismissed and left in the hands of the Building Committee to be reported on at the next Annual Town meeting.

Under Article 2

By motion of Mr. James P. Hannigan this Article was dismissed.

Voted to adjourn meeting at 8 40 P.M.

Harold C. Pettison
Town Clerk

Walter Perham
Moderator

Figures presented by the Bldg. committee as follows:

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| 14010.00 | for Bldg. work |
| 1813.00 | " plumbing |
| 4513.00 | " heating |
| 976.00 | " wiring |
| 1200.00 | " furniture |
| 700.00 | " electrical fixtures |
| 875.00 | " architect |
| 1000.00 | " Engineer |
| 24547.00 | Total. |

Mr. Lufkin appointed for Bldg. Com.

Election officers appointed for Town Election February 4 1924

| Office | Name | Prec. | Qualified | By whom |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Warden | Homer E. Haley | 1 | Mr. 30 1923 | P. A. Haley |
| Deputy " | Sidney E. Hupee | 1 | Mr. 21 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | John L. Pratt | 1 | Mr. 23 1923 | " " |
| Deputy " | Walter H McMahon | 1 | Mr. 24 1923 | " " |
| Inspector | George M. Seton | 1 | Refused to serve | |
| " | George L. Waite | 1 | Mr. 21 1923 | Wm Bellenill |
| Deputy Insp. | Pearl M. Adams | 1 | Mr. 22 1923 | Town Clerk |
| " " | Annie C. Harris | 1 | Mr. 27 1923 | " " |
| " " | Edith A. Perham | 1 | Mr. 21 1923 | A. C. Swaten |
| " " | Bessie A. Perham | 1 | Mr 30 1923 | Town Clerk. |
| Warden | James B. McQuade | 2 | Mr. 23 1923 | J. H. Valentine |
| Deputy " | George S Elliott | 2 | | |
| Clerk | Edna I. Bollinger | 2 | Mr. 23 1923 | Wm T. Picken |
| Deputy " | Ruth Conlin | 2 | Mr. 24 1923 | J. H. Valentine |
| Inspector | George Welch | 2 | Mr. 27 1923 | " " " |
| " | Michael A. O'Brien | 2 | | |
| Deputy " | Mary K. Haley | 2 | Mr. 24 1923 | Catherine Lucum |
| " " | Genevia M. Lucum | 2 | Mr. 23 1923 | John H Valentine |
| " " | Edith M. Steele | 2 | Mr. 28 1923 | " " " |
| " " | James Kibird Jr. | 2 | | |
| Warden | Thomas E. Brook | 3 | Dec 4 1923 | L. J. Ellinwood |
| Deputy Warden | Bayard C. Dean | 3 | Mr. 24 1923 | L. J. Ellinwood |
| Clerk | Arden J. Ellinwood | 3 | Dec 10 1923 | Town Clerk |
| Deputy Clerk | Catherine H. Riney | 3 | Dec 1 1923 | L. J. Ellinwood |
| Inspector | Rita G Anderson | 3 | Mr. 26 1923 | L. J. Ellinwood |
| " | Joseph C. Brook | 3 | Refused to serve | |
| Warden | Homer Reardon | 4 | | |
| Deputy " | Lydia A. Barrie | 4 | Mr. 23 1923 | Mary J. Dix |
| Clerk | Lewis H. Jennison | 4 | | |
| Deputy " | Minnie A. Devine | 4 | Mr. 30 1923 | Geo B. Fuller |
| Inspector | George A. McMulty | 4 | Dec 21 " | Town Clerk |
| " | Annie Shead | 4 | Mr. 26 1923 | Mary J. Dix |
| " | Elizabeth Smith | 3 | Dec 12 1923 | Elliot Armistron |
| Inspector | Frances J. Shehan | 1 | Feb 4 1924 | Town Clerk |
| " | Mary C. Burns | 1 | " " | " " |

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| Office | Name | Rec | When qualified | By whom |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Warden | John P. Sorbonia | ✓ | Mar 20 '24 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | Sidney E. Hufee | ✓ | Mar 21 '24 | " " |
| Deputy Warden | George L. Waite | ✓ | Mar. 20 24 | W. E. Belleville |
| Deputy Clerk | Caroline Wright | ✓ | Mar. 24 '24 | " " |
| Inspector | John F. Parker | ✓ | Mar 19 '24 | Town Clerk |
| Deputy Inspector | Ethel M. Wright | ✓ | Mar 21 24 | " " |
| Warden | George A. McIntosh | 6 | Mar 25 24 | " " |
| Clerk | John J. Keefe | 6 | Mar 21 '24 | Arthur Sullivan |
| Deputy Warden | Robert Henderson | 6 | Mar 22 '24 | Town Clerk |
| Deputy Clerk | Margaret E. Barlow | 6 | Mar 20 '24 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | Raymond T. Osborn | 6 | Mar 25 '24 | Geo. E. Funch |
| Deputy Inspector | Orville G Wood | 6 | Mar 19 '24 | R. J. Lovelle |

Warrant for Annual Town Meeting
at Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre, Monday Feb. 11 1924
Middlesex SS. Commonwealth of Massachusetts

To Fred I. Vinal, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford:
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre, on Monday, the eleventh day of February next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act upon the following Articles, viz:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise or borrow the sum of Twelve Thousand Dollars ($12,000), or what other sum, for the purpose of continuing construction of the Boston Road and the Acton Road, and of improving the Riverneck Road and the Carlisle-Concord Road, two thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the Commonwealth and the County of Middlesex; or act in relation thereto.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation at the then prevailing price per light for the following additional lights, and will raise and appropriate sufficient money to meet the expense thereof, viz:
Two lights on Columbus Avenue, East Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford

and at the School House, East Chelmsford, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Hereof Fail Not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this thirty first day of January, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-four.

George Rigby
William C. Billerille
George W May
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Warrant for Annual Town Meeting
February 4 1924 and February 11 1924
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex SS.

To Fred J Vinal, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford.

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in their several Polling places, viz:

Precinct 1, Town Hall, Chelmsford Center
Precinct 2, Town Hall, North Chelmsford
Precinct 3, Historical Hall, West Chelmsford
Precinct 4, School House, East Chelmsford

on Monday, the fourth day of February, 1924 being the first Monday in said month, at 12 o'clock noon, for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes for the following Officers:
Moderator for one year
Town Clerk for three years
One Selectman for three years
One Overseer of the Poor for three years
One Assessor for three years
Town Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for one year
One Member of the Board of Health for three years
One Constable for one year
One School Committee man for three years
Two Trustees for Adams Library for three years
One Trustee for Adams Library for one year (Unexpired term)
Tree Warden for one year
One Sinking Fund Commissioner for three years
One Cemetery Commissioner for three years
One Park Commissioner for three years
all on one Ballot, and to vote on the following Question:

"Shall license be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this Town"?

(The Polls will be open from 12 m to 8 P.M.)

and to meet in the Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre on the following

Monday, the Eleventh day of February, 1924 at 9.30 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Article 1.

To hear reports of Town officers and Committees, or act in relation thereto.

Article 2.

To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray Town Charges for the current year.

Article 3.

To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year: also in such other matters as may arise requiring in their judgment the action of such agent, and to employ Counsel therefor.

Article 4.

To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year.

Article 5

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer a sum not exceeding Sixteen Hundred Sixty five and 73/100 Dollars ($1665.73) with which to meet unpaid bills of 1922 and 1923; or act in relation thereto.

Article 6.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred and Seventy five Dollars ($475) for State Aid; or act in relation thereto.

Article 7

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer a sum not exceeding Two Thousand Dollars ($2000) to be used as a Reserve Fund at the direction of the Finance Committee, as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 6; or act in relation thereto

Article 8

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Dollars ($400) or some other amount and elect a director, the money to be expended by and the director to serve in Co-operation with the County Agricultural Bureau of Agriculture & Home Economics under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45 Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts; or act in relation thereto.

of the Middlesex Co. Bureau of Agriculture & practical and

Article 9.

To see if the Town will vote to raise or borrow the sum of Twelve thousand dollars, ($12000), or what other sum for the purpose of continuing construction of the Boston Road and the Acton Road, and of opening the Billerica Road and the Carlisle-Concord Road, two-thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the Commonwealth and the County of Middlesex; or act in relation thereto.

Article 10.

To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell or exchange the gravel loader now belonging to the Town, and will raise and appropriate a sufficient sum with which to purchase a new one as part of the highway equipment; or act in relation thereto.

Article 11

To see if the Town will appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Twenty-five dollars ($25) with which to pay land damages awarded by the County Commissioners in relocating the Square, so-called, at Chelmsford Center; or act in relation thereto.

Article 12

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money sufficient to complete the grading and provide shrubbery at the Town Hall in North Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

Article 13

To see if the Town will indemnify the Commonwealth of Massachusetts against any and all claims for land grade, or drainage damages which may be caused by or result from the laying out, construction, or reconstruction of any State highway in town during the present year, and will authorize the Board of Selectmen to sign an indemnity agreement in behalf of the Town; or act in relation thereto

Article 14

To see if the Town will vote to remove the pump and watering trough at the South end of Central Square, so-called, at Chelmsford Centre, and raise and appropriate a sum sufficient for the purpose; or act in relation thereto.

Article 15

To see what action if any, the Town will take relative to the pump, watering troughs, trees, and fence at Central Square, Chelmsford Centre, with a view to improving the appearance of the Square and the promotion of the public safety and convenience, and raise and appropriate a sum sufficient for the purposes; or act in relation thereto.

Article 16

To see if the Town will appoint a committee to investigate conditions as to the heating of the Town buildings at North Chelmsford, with a view to a central heating plant, and report their conclusions at a subsequent meeting of the town; or act in relation thereto.

Article 17.

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation for all night public street lighting service and will raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to meet the expense thereof; or act in relation thereto.

Article 18

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation for furnishing electric light service at the North Village from darkness to daylight, and will raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to meet the expense thereof; or act in relation thereto.

Article 19.

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation at the then prevailing price per light for the following additional lights, and will raise and appropriate sufficient money to meet the expense thereof, viz:
Two lights on Ripley Street; One light on Middlesex Street opposite the Post Office at North Chelmsford; One light on the road to J. B. Phillips residence off the Robin Hill Road; One light on Littleton Street near the Railroad station at Chelmsford Center; One light on Chelmsford Street near the Adams Crossing; One light on Warren Ave; Three lights on Maple Road; Two lights on Chestnut Hill Road; Five lights on Pine Hill Road; Twelve lights on Billerica Street; One light at Corner of Woodbine St and Wildwood Street; One light at Corner of Woodbine

and Tom Street; One light at corner of Woodbine Street and Westlands Ave; One light at corner of Holton Road and Juniper Street; One light at corner of Holton Road, Wildwood and Chelmsford Streets; One light at Corner of Sylvan Ave and Subway Extension; One light at corner of Subway Extension and Subway Ave; One light at easterly end of Woodbine Street near the Mooney property; Four lights on Brickiln Road; or act in relation thereto.

Article 20

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Dollars, or what other sum, to meet the expense of two special policemen, One at Chelmsford Centre and one at North Chelmsford, to be appointed by the Board of Selectmen; or act in relation thereto.

Article 21

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to appoint two regular police officers for patrol duty in the North Village during twenty four hours of each day during the year, and will raise and appropriate a sufficient sum for that purpose; or act in relation thereto.

Article 22 -

To hear the report of the Committee appointed at the annual Town meeting held February 12 1923 to consider and report as to the advisability of applying to the Legislature for a special act authorizing limited Town meetings so-called, and the election of Town meeting members in Chelmsford, along the lines

provided in Chapter 36 of the Acts of 1921 relating to the Town of Brookline, and to see what action, if any, the Town will take relative to the same; or act in relation thereto.

Article 23.

To see if the Town will accept and allow an extension of Bridge street as laid out by the Selectmen on January 15 1924 and shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk: or act in relation thereto.

Article 24.

To see if the Town will accept and allow Seneca Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen on January 15 1924 and shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk: or act in relation thereto.

Article 25.

To see if the Town will accept and allow Moore street as laid out by the Selectmen on January 15 1924 and shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article 26.

To see what action the Town will take relative to insuring public buildings against loss by fire, and in the event of affirmative action, to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money for the same; or act in relation thereto.

Article 27.

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to purchase five beacons, so-called, as part of the highway equipment, and will raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to meet the expense of the same; or act in relation thereto.

Article 28.

To see if the Town will vote to divide Precinct One into three precincts pursuant to the written recommendations of the Selectmen duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk at least seven days before this meeting; or act in relation thereto.

Article 29.

To see if the Town will vote to increase the number of the Finance Committee from five to six, one to be appointed by the Selectmen from each precinct; or act in relation thereto

Article 30.

To see if the Town will vote to oil Warren Avenue and will raise and appropriate a sufficient of money to meet the expense of the same; or act in relation thereto.

Article 31.

To see if the Town will vote to pay William A. Shattuck One Hundred Dollars ($100) or any and what other sum; to cover damages to water pipe in the Braintree Road; or act in relation thereto.

Article 32.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum with which to pay one-half the expense of constructing a cement sidewalk on the easterly side of Middlesex Street for a distance of about four hundred and eighty-six feet northerly of the premises of Mr. Varney; or act in relation thereto.

Article 33.

To see what action the Town will take, if any, in relation to establishing a permanent office in the Chelmsford Center Town Hall for the Town Treasurer and Collector of Taxes, and increasing the salary of said office, and raise and appropriate a sum sufficient for the purpose; or act in relation thereto.

Article 34.

To see if the Town will appoint a committee to have charge of suitably marking historic spots within the Town, and raise and appropriate therefor the sum of Two Hundred and fifty dollars ($250) or any and what other sum; or act in relation thereto.

Article 35.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand dollars ($2000) or any and what other sum, for the purpose of installing and improving the fire alarm system and equipment of the Town; or act in relation thereto.

Article 36

To see if the Town will vote to appoint a Committee to investigate and report their recommendations to purchase land for additional fire house sites; or act in relation thereto

Article 37

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Dollars ($5000) or any and what other sum, to be used at the discretion of the School Committee for the purchase of a truck for transporting school children; or act in relation thereto

Article 38

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two thousand Dollars ($2000) and borrow the further sum of Eight Thousand Dollars ($8000) making a total of Ten Thousand Dollars ($10000) with which to make necessary alterations at the East Chelmsford School House, so called, in order to provide two rooms in addition ~~(in addition)~~ to those authorized at a special meeting held on July 2 1923 so that four more rooms will be provided at a cost including the appropriation of Twenty Thousand Dollars ($20000) at said special meeting of July 2, of thirty thousand dollars ($30000), such rooms to be used for school purposes; or act in relation thereto.

Article 39

To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 94, Section 120, relative to annual license fees for Slaughter houses; or act in relation thereto

Article 40

To see what action, if any, the Town will take relative to instructing the Selectmen to appear in opposition to the annexation of any part or parts of the town of Chelmsford to the City of Lowell; or act in relation thereto.

Article 41

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, any, and, if any what sum of money to continue the grading of Sprague Avenue to Brick Kiln Road, a distance of about three hundred feet; or act in relation thereto.

Article 42

To see if the Town will raise any, and, if any, what sum of money to cover the expense of collecting and disposing of rubbish other than ashes at the Centre Village and North Chelmsford, or any and what other parts of the Town; or act in relation thereto.

Article 43

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money sufficient to meet the expense of cleaning the bed of Beaver Brook at Chelmsford Centre; or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Office in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford, and at the School House, East Chelmsford, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding the first meeting aforesaid.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the first meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twenty second day of January in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty four.

George Rigby
William E. Bellerills
George W. Hay
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said first meeting, as directed by vote of the Town

Fred I Kimball
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

1924

At a legal meeting held February 4 1924 at the town precincts of the Town of Chelmsford at 12 o'clock noon pursuant to Warrant, the following Candidates for town offices received the number of votes set against their respective names.

| Office | Name of Candidate | | Prec. 1 | Prec. 2 | Prec. 3 | Prec. 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Moderator | Walter Perham | -Elected- | 586 | 396 | 59 | 88 | 1129 |
| Town Clerk (for 3 years) | Harold C. Petterson | -Elected- | 567 | 482 | 65 | 88 | 1202 |
| Selectman for 3 years | George Rigby | -Elected- | 534 | 451 | 60 | 87 | 1132 |
| | Herbert E. Ellis | | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Overseer of Poor (for 3 yrs) | George Rigby | -Elected- | 507 | 426 | 53 | 83 | 1069 |
| | Herbert E. Ellis | | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Board of Health (for 3 yrs) | Eliphalet G. Brown | -Elected- | 551 | 175 | 40 | 69 | 835 |
| | Abbott L. Emery | | 53 | 347 | 21 | 32 | 45[illegible] |
| Treas. & Coll for 1 year. | Ervin W. Sweetser | -Elected- | 560 | 430 | 57 | 89 | 1136 |
| Assessor (for 3 years) | James P. Dunigan | | 230 | 362 | 34 | 57 | 68[illegible] |
| | William J. Quigley | -Elected- | 377 | 246 | 33 | 51 | 707 |
| Constable (for 1 year) | Fred I. Vinal | -Elected- | 559 | 482 | 63 | 85 | 118[illegible] |
| School Com. (for 3 years) | Henry A. Bunce | | 86 | 75 | 8 | 9 | 178 |
| | Charles H. Clough | -Elected- | 414 | 168 | 41 | 49 | 672 |
| | John A. McAdams | | 146 | 318 | 19 | 47 | 530 |
| Trustees of Adams Library (for 3 years) | Albert H. Davis | -Elected- | 498 | 275 | 34 | 32 | 83[illegible] |
| | A. Heady Park | -Elected- | 455 | 259 | 41 | 32 | 78[illegible] |
| (for 1 year) unexpired term | Lottie L. Snow | -Elected- | 525 | 369 | 63 | 76 | 103[illegible] |
| Tree Warden for 1 year | Minot A. Bean | -Elected- | 525 | 346 | 52 | 75 | 99[illegible] |

| Office | Name of Candidate | Prec. 1 | Prec. 2 | Prec. 3 | Prec. 4 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cemetery Commissioner (for 3 yrs.) | Arthur O. Wheeler -Elected- | 467 | 403 | 49 | 73 | 992 |
| Park Comm. (for 3 yrs) | Fred L. Fletcher -Elected- | 515 | 343 | 61 | 81 | 1000 |
| Shall license be granted for certain sale of non-int. liquor | Yes | 116 | 155 | 14 | 46 | 331 |
| | No | 354 | 215 | 32 | 36 | 637 |
| Insurance Fund Commissioner (for 3 years) | Lydia Barris | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| | Berger Peterson | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| | Loren J. Ellinwood | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| | ——— Dunigan | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Fred E. Varney | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Frank J. Garvey | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| | Brian Hehir | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| | James P. Dunigan | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| | John Harrington | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Frank Welch | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Hebert Young | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Henry Shedd | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| | Wilson Bridgford | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Milliard Hodge | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Charles Scribner | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | William J. Quigley | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Ralph Boyd | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Edward J. Robbins | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Walter Perham | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| | Frank Butterfield | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | George King | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Eben T. Adams | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | John Eaton | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| | C. George Armstrong | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| | Thomas Varnum | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| | Ervin W. Sweetser | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | F. Vincent Kelley | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

Town Officers Elected Feb 4 1924

| Office | Name of Officer | When Qualified | Before whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Moderator | Walter Perham | Feb 7 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Town Clerk | Harold C. Pettison | Feb 7 1924 | Frank J. Garvey |
| Selectman | George Rigby | Feb 9 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Overseer of Poor | George Rigby | Feb 9 1924 | Town Clerk |
| B. of Health | Eliphalet G. Brown | Feb 11 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Treas & Coll | Erwin W. Sweeter | Feb 11 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Assessor | William J. Quigley | Feb 11 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Constable | Fred I. Vinal | Feb 11 1924 | Town Clerk |
| School Com. | Charles H. Clough | Feb 11 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Trustee of | Albert H. Davis | Feb 11 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Adams Library | G. Heady Park | Feb 11 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | Lottie L. Snow | Feb 11 1924 | Fred S. Snow |
| Tree Warden | Minot A. Bean | Feb 11 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Cem Com. | Arthur O. W. Luke | Feb 11 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Park Com. | Fred L. Fletcher | Feb 28 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Ins. F. Com. | | | |

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant at the Town Hall, Centre Village, Monday, February 11 1924 at 9.30 o'clock A.M. the following business was transacted to wit; The meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Barham.

A motion made by George Rigby that the reading of the Warrant by the Town Clerk be waived, so as to save considerable time in going through the rather lengthy Warrant, and it was so voted.

Under Article 17 of a Special Meeting held on April 30 1923 at the Town Hall, Centre Village this article was deferred until the next Annual Town meeting; This the 11th day of February 1924 being the day and date to act on this Article, it was voted,
To refer this matter to the Street Department.

Under Article 1. To hear reports of Officers and Committees;
East Chelmsford Fire House Building Committee; Henry Levine reported that all moneys had been spent and the Building completed.
the report was accepted.

School Committee report on purchasing land adjoining the East Chelmsford School House for playground purposes.
Motion made by Mr. C. H. Ellis of the School Board that this matter be left in hands of the coming School Board to be reported on at a future Town meeting, and it was so voted.

It was voted to accept the Town report as printed with an amendment to the Board of Health report.

Under Article 2 –

Motion made by Karl Parham that Article 2 be placed on the table until Article 15 had been acted upon

84 voted in the affirmative

15 " " " negative

Having discussion of Mr. Parham's motion J. Clark Osterhout questioned the right of Moderator Walter Parham to require a two thirds vote in jumping from Article 2 to Article 15, the Moderator stated his reason and Mr. Osterhout appealed to the voters. It was unanimously voted that the Moderator had full power to require a two thirds vote. Article 15 being disposed of it was voted that the following sums be raised and appropriated to defray Town charges for the current year.

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| Moderators Salary | $10.00 |
| Selectmen " | 650.00 |
| " " Other Expenses | 200.00 |
| Accountant & Town Clerk Salary | 1800.00 |
| " " " " Expenses | 200.00 |
| Town Counsel, Salary | 300.00 |
| Appraisers Salaries | 30.00 |
| " Other Expenses | 3.00 |
| Janitors of Public Halls, Salaries | 600.00 |
| " " " " Other Expenses | 30.00 |
| Fuel Light & Water for Town Halls | 700.00 |
| Repairs on Public Halls | 1000.00 |
| Police Dept, Salaries, this appropriation was laid on the table until Articles 20 and 21 were acted upon, Articles 20 and 21 having been acted on it was voted to appropriate | 2300.00 |

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|---|---|
| Cutting Brush | 100.00 |
| North Chelmsford Hydrant Service | 750.00 |
| Chelmsford Center " " | 750.00 |
| West Chelmsford " " | 20.00 |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures, Salary & Expenses | 200.00 |
| Moth Dept | 2685.31 |
| Purchase of lead | 800.00 |
| Fire Warden Dept. | 100.00 |
| Fish & Game Warden. Salary | 100.00 |
| Supt. of Streets Salary | 2000.00 |
| Road Binder | 6000.00 |
| Truck Maintenance | 5000.00 |
| General Highway. Fund | 10,000.00 |
| Street Lighting. this Article was laid on the table until after Article 19 was disposed of. Article 19 having been disposed it was voted to raise and appropriate | 12,000.00 |
| Overseers of Poor Salaries | 225.00 |
| " " " Expenses | 15.00 |
| Outside Poor | 5500.00 |
| Almshouse. Supt Salary | 800.00 |
| " Other Expenses | 2300.00 |
| " Repairs | 1000.00 |
| Registrars of Voters and Election Officers Salaries voted to lay this Article on the table until Article 28 is acted on, Article 28 having been acted on, voted to Appropriate the sum of | 1200.00 |
| Animal Inspector. Salary | 200.00 |
| Soldiers' Relief | 450.00 |
| Vocational School plus dog Tax | 1500.00 |
| Band Concerts | 250.00 |
| Memorial Day | 225.00 |
| Sinking Fund, voted to lay this Article on the table until Article 26 is acted on. Article 26 having been acted on voted to raise & Appropriate | 500.00 |
| Village Clerk | 30.00 |
| Town Reports | 700.00 |
| Street Signs | 300.00 |

Concord Road to Carlisle and Riverneck Road voted to lay this Article on the table until

Article 1 of the Special Town meeting is acted on, Article 1 of the Special Town Meeting having been acted on, voted to dismiss this Article.

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| South Chelmsford Road to Wardic Corner | 500.00 |
| Westford St to West Chelmsford | 1000.00 |
| Middlesex St, Common to Gary St | 2000.00 |
| Middlesex St, Cemetery to Lowell Line | 2000.00 |
| Wightman St. | 100.00 |
| Hunstable Road | 300.00 |
| College Court – East Chelmsford | 300.00 |
| Billerica Road | 1000.00 |
| Locust St. from Acton Road | 500.00 |
| High St. between Brattett + Acton Sts. | 300.00 |
| Old Westford Road | 500.00 |
| Richardson Road | 500.00 |
| Turnpike Road | 300.00 |

Town Treasurer Salary, Other Expenses and Bond, voted to lay these Articles on the table until Article 33 has been taken up, Article 33 having been taken up voted that the Town Treas. Salary be

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|---|---|
| Other Expenses | 325.00 |
| Bond | 220.00 |
| Park Dept. | 700.00 |
| Fire Dept Salaries | 3200.00 |
| Janitors " | 270.00 |
| Expense of Engineers | 75.00 |
| Labor and Expense at Fires | 600.00 |
| Rent at Center | 180.00 |
| " " West | 150.00 |
| Supplies | 175.00 |
| Fuel Light and Water | 500.00 |
| Maintenance of Trucks | 400.00 |
| Building Repairs | 500.00 |
| Tele. and Alarms | 350.00 |
| New Equipment | 275.00 |
| Forest Fires | 700.00 |
| Board of Health, Salaries (100 for 2) (150 for chairman) | 350.00 |
| Agent | 100.00 |

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| Maintenance | 125.00 |
| Agents Transportation | 200.00 |
| Aid | 625.00 |
| Meat Inspector | 1000.00 |
| Milk Inspector | 350.00 |
| Schools - Supt Salary | 3000.00 |
| Administration | 800.00 |
| Teachers Salaries | 18000.00 |
| Books and Supplies | 4900.00 |
| New Equipment | 1000.00 |
| Transportation | 9000.00 |
| Janitors Salaries | 6400.00 |
| Fuel | 6000.00 |
| Upkeep and Repairs | 4600.00 |
| Janitors Supplies | 800.00 |
| Light and Power | 800.00 |
| Nurses Salary | 1200.00 |
| " Transportation | 300.00 |
| " Supplies | 200.00 |
| Physicians | 400.00 |
| Furniture & Furnishings | 300.00 |
| Libraries - Adams Library | 2000.00 |
| North Chelmsford Library | 1200.00 |
| Cemeteries - Com. Salaries | 105.00 |
| Forefathers Cemetery | 350.00 |
| Pine Ridge " | 500.00 |
| Hart Pond " | 300.00 |
| Riverside " | 300.00 |
| West Chelmsford " | 300.00 |
| Assessors, Salaries | 1000.00 |
| Transportation | 150.00 |
| Other Expenses | 200.00 |

Under Article 3 - Voted that the Selectmen be and they hereby are authorized to act as agent of the Town in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year, also in such other matters which may arise requiring in their judgement the action of such agent, and to employ Counsel therefor.

Under Article 4-

Voted that the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to borrow money with the approval of the Selectmen from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1924 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year. any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of such financial year.

Under Article 5-

Voted that the sum of $1665.73 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of paying unpaid bills for the year 1923

Under Article 6.

Voted that the sum of $575.00 be raised and appropriated for State Aid.

Under Article 7-

Voted that the sum of Two Thousand Dollars ($2000.00) be appropriated from money already in the hands of the Treasurer to be used as a reserve fund at the discretion of the Finance Committee as provided in General Laws Chapter 40 Section 6

Under Article 8

Voted that the sum of $400.00 be raised and appropriated and elect a director at this meeting the money to be expended by and this director to serve in co-operation with the County Agricultural Trustee of the Middlesex County Bureau of Agriculture and Home Economics under the provisions of Section 40 to 45 Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts. Corby W. Kimball was elected director.

Under Article 9.

The meeting at this time was adjourned until Article 1 in the Warrant for the Special meeting was taken up.

Article 1 under the Warrant at the Special Meeting having been acted on this Article was dismissed.

Article 10

Voted that the Selectmen be and they hereby are authorized to sell or exchange the gravel loader now belonging to the Town upon such terms as seem to them advisable and that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $800.00 with which to purchase a new gravel loader as part of the highway equipment.

Under Article 11.

Voted that the sum of Twenty Five Dollars be appropriated from money already in the hands of the Treasurer with which to pay to G. T. Parkhurst land damages awarded by the County Commissioners in relocating the Square, so called at Chelmsford Center.

Under Article 12.
Voted that the sum of Two Hundred and fifty dollars ($200.00) be raised and appropriated with which to complete the grading and provide shrubbery at the Town Hall in North Chelmsford.

Under Article 13.
Voted that the Town indemnify the Commonwealth of Massachusetts against any and all claims for land grade, or drainage damages which may be caused by or result from the laying out, construction, or reconstruction of any State highway in the town during the present year, and that the Board of Selectmen be and they hereby are authorized to sign an indemnity agreement in behalf of the Town.

Under Article 14
Voted that the removal of the trough at the South end of Central Square be left in the hands of the Selectmen, the expense to be charged to the Highway General account.

Under Article 15.
Voted to dismiss this Article.

Under Article 16
Voted that a Committee of three, namely George Rigby, Frank Lupien and John C. Monahan be appointed to investigate the advisibility of installing a Central heating plant for the Town buildings at North Chelmsford, and to report at the next Annual Town Meeting.

Under Article 17.
Voted to lay this Article on the table until Article 19 is or acted on.
Article 19 having been acted on it was voted to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation for all night public street lighting service. The extra expense in this matter is covered by the appropriation of $1200 under Street Lighting under Article 2.

Under Article 18.
This Article was dismissed
268 votes yes and 96 voted no.

Under Article 19.
Voted to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation at the then prevailing price per light for the following additional lights and wire and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to meet the expense thereof to wit, Two lights on Ripley Street, one light on Middlesex Street opposite the Post Office at North Chelmsford, one light on the road to J. B. Phillips residence off the Robin Hill Road, One light on Littleton Street, near the R.R. station at Chelmsford Centre, One light on Chelmsford Street near the Adams Crossing, One light on Warren Ave, Three lights on Maple Road, Two lights on Chestnut Hill Road, five lights on Pine Hill Road, Twelve lights on Billerica Street, One light at the Corner of Woodbine and Wildwood streets, One light at the Corner of Woodbine and Fern Streets, One light at the Corner of Woodbine Street and Westland Ave, One light at the Corner of Hutton Road and Juniper Street, One light at the Corner of Hutton Road, Wildwood and

Chelmsford Street, One light at the Corner of Sylvan Ave and Subway Extension, one light at the corner of Subway Extension and Subway Ave, one light at the easterly end of Woodbine Street near the Mooney property, four lights on Bucklin Road. The expense of these lights are covered under Article 2 under Street lights.

The meeting at this point was adjourned until after Article 2 in the Warrant for Special meeting was acted on.

Under Article 20-

On a motion to dismiss this Article
114 voted in the affirmative
183 " " " Negative
Voted to refer this matter to the Selectmen to be reported on at a future Town Meeting.

Under Article 21
Voted to dismiss this Article.

Under Article 22-
Voted to lay this Article on the table until the Police appropriation under Article 2 be acted on.
Article 2, Police appropriation having been acted on, Voted to lay this Article 22 on the table until Article 28 be acted on.
157 voted in the affirmative
31 " " " Negative.
Article 28 having been acted on, it was voted that a Committee be appointed to act with the Town Counsel in the preparation of a petition to the General Court for the enactment of legislation providing for

precinct voting, limited town meetings, Town meeting members, a referendum, and an Annual Moderator in the Town of Chelmsford, that the said petition be prepared, printed and a copy mailed to each registered voter of the Town, not later than September 30 1924, that said petition with such corrections, revisions and additions as may be deemed advisable by Town Counsel and Committee aforesaid be presented to the General Court upon its opening in 1925 and that the sum of One Hundred and fifty dollars be appropriated from money now in the hands of the Treasurer for the purpose of defraying the necessary expenses exclusive of Town Counsel's fees in connection therewith, and that the same Committee namely, John J. Monahan, Sidney E. Hope James F. Cunnigan, Birger Pettersen, and Herbert E. Ellis act and report on this matter.

Article 23

Voted that the Town accept and allow an extension of Bridge Street as laid out by the Selectmen on January 15 1924 and shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk and on the plan therein referred to.

Under Article 24

Voted that the Town accept Seneca Road as laid out by the Selectmen on January 15 1924 and shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and on the plan therein referred to.

Under Article 25

Voted that the Town accept and allow Moore Street as laid out by the Selectmen on January 15 1924 and shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and on the plan therein referred to.

Under Article 26

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $800.00 to insure public buildings owned by the Town, under the direction of the Selectmen.

Under Article 27.

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $800.00 with which to purchase as part of the highway equipment the Blacine, so-called.

Under Article 28.

Voted to divide Precinct One into three precincts as recommended by the Selectmen in their recommendation duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk at least seven days before this meeting.

Under Article 29.

Voted that the number of the Finance Committee be increased from five to six to be appointed by the Selectmen one from each precinct.

Under Article 30.

Voted that the Highway Superintendent be instructed to oil Warren Ave once during the current year.

Article 31 -
Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 to pay William A Shattuck for damages to his water pipes in the Boston Road.

Under Article 32 -
Voted that the sum of Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00) be raised and appropriated with which to pay one half of the expense of constructing a cement sidewalk on the easterly side of Middlesex Street for a distance of about four hundred and eighty six feet northerly of the premises of Th. Varney.

Under Article 33
Voted to dismiss this Article.

Under Article 34
Voted that the sum of $250.00 be raised and appropriated to mark historic spots in the Town the same to be expended by a Committee of five to be appointed at this meeting. The Committee to continue in office until all such places are marked.
Rev. Wilson Walter, Capt John J. Monahan Joseph E. Warren, Henry Shedd and Stewart Mackay appointed as a committee.

Under Article 35.

Voted that the sum of $2000.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of installing and improving the fire alarm system and equipment of the Town. Said sum to be expended by a Committee of three appointed by the Moderator.

Arnold Perham, Loren Ellinwood and John J Hogan were appointed as a Committee.

Under Article 36.

Voted that a Committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to investigate and report at the next Town meeting relative to the purchase of land for fire house sites

Perley W Kimbal, Lloyd Billam and M. Edward Riney were appointed as a Committee.

Under Article 37.

Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $4600.00 for the purpose of purchasing a new truck Matter to be in the hands of the School Committee, with power to sell or exchange the present Pierce Arrow as part of the transaction.

Under Article 38

Voted that the unexpended balance of $4679.19 now in the Town Treasury, of the sum appropriated at the Annual Town Meeting held February 14 1921 for the proposed new school house at the Westlands, so called, be and the same hereby is appropriated toward the expense of making changes in the East Chelmsford School House, so called, and equipping the same as provided in a vote of the Town under Article 6 at a special meeting held July 2 1923; and that the further sum of five thousand three hundred twenty ~~One~~ and 81/100 dollars $5320.81 be appropriated out of moneys now in the Town Treasury for the same purposes making a total appropriation of ten thousand dollars ($10000.00)

Under Article 39.
Under this Article motion by J. Clark Astbury was lost.
Article dismissed.

Under Article 40.
Voted to dismiss this Article

Under Article 41.
Voted to raise and appropriate $150.00 for the purpose of continuing the grading of Sprague Ave to Bickley Road.

Under Article 42
Voted to dismiss this Article

Under Article 43
Voted to dismiss this Article.

By motion of Mr. Wm E. Bellevile it was voted to appropriate from excess and deficiency the sum of $25000.00 to apply towards appropriations made in 1924.

Voted to dissolve the meeting at 5 40 P.M.

Harold C. Pettiven
Town Clerk

Walter Auburn
Moderator.

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs, held pursuant to Warrant at the Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Center Village on Monday Feb 11 1924 at 10 o'Clock A.M. the following business was transacted to wit:

The meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Auburn and the Warrant read by the Moderator.

Under Article 1

Voted to postpone this meeting until Article 9 in the Warrant for Annual Town Meeting is acted on. Article 9 in the Warrant for Annual Town meeting having been acted on, it was voted that the town raise and appropriate the sum of Four thousand dollars ($4000.00) and borrow an additional sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars ($8000.00) at a rate of interest not exceeding 6% per annum payable semi-annually and to issue therefor five promissory notes each in the same principal sum payable at the expiration

of one, two, three and four and five years from the date thereof, each note to be signed by the Treasurer and Countersigned by a majority of the Board of Selectmen and that the proceeds be used as follows: Five thousand ($5000.00) to continue the Construction of the Boston Road, Five thousand dollars ($5000.00) to continue the Construction of the Acton Road One thousand dollars ($1000.00) to repair the Rivermeck Road and One thousand Dollars ($1000.00) to repair the Carlisle Ground Road each so called, two thirds of the expense of the of the Construction of the Boston Road and the Acton Road and of the repairing of the Rivermeck Road and the Carlisle Ground Road to be borne equally by the Commonwealth and the County of Middlesex

262 Votes in the affirmative
2 " " " negative.

Under Article 2

Voted to lay this Article on the table until Article 19 in the Warrant for Annual Town meeting is acted on. Article 19 in the Warrant for the Annual Town meeting having been acted on

Voted to authorize the Selectmen to Contract with the Sowell Electric Light Corp. at the then prevailing price per light for the following additional lights

Two lights on Columbus Ave.
East Chelmsford.

Voted to dissolve the meeting at 1 45 P. M.

Harold C. Pettison
Town Clerk

Walter Cockram
Moderator

# 1924

## Officers Appointed By The Selectmen

| Office | Name Of Officer | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Finance Committee | F. Vincent Kelly | | |
| | James P. Dunigan | | |
| | Emile E. Paignon | | |
| | John C. Monahan | | |
| | Henry F. Devine | | |
| | C. George Armstrong | | |
| Town Counsel | Frederic A. Fisher | | |
| Supt. Streets | William Shanks | March 1 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Supt. Moth Dept. | William Shanks | | |
| Registrar Voters | Karl Perham | | |
| Sealer of Weights & Meas. | Curtis A. Aiken | | |
| Forest Warden | Arnold Perham | | |
| Fish + Game Ward. | Charles Morse | | |
| Supt. Indigent Soldiers + Sailors Burials | Walter Perham | March 4 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Janitors of Town Halls | Albert H. Davis | Feb 27 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | Justin J. Potter | Feb 29 1924 | " " |
| Fence Viewers | Herbert C. Streetser | Feb 27 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | George A McNulty | | |
| | Fred I. Vinal | Feb 28 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Field Drivers | Fred I. Vinal | Feb 28 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | George Small | | |
| | William Reid | Oct. 15 1924 | " " |

| Office | Name Of Officer | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Emile E. Paignon | | |
| Appraisers | Albert H. Davis | Feb 27 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | John F. Parker | | |
| | Patrick Welch | March 18 1924 | J. H. Valentine |
| | William Shanks | March 1 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Special | F. Vincent Kelly | Feb 29 1924 | Raymond J. Lovell |
| Police | George Small | | |
| Officers | Morton B. Wright | March 4 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | Albert H. Davis | Feb 27 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | Archibald Cook | March 4 1924 | L. J. Ellinwood |
| | James R. Gookin | March 1 1924 | John H. Valentine |
| | Charles F. Morse | | |
| | Charles Finnick | Feb 29 1924 | Frank Fay |
| | William Reid | March 3 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | John O'Brien | Feb 27 1924 | Wm T. Picken |
| | Charles O. Robbins | | |
| | George C. Moore Jr. | | |
| | Justin J. Potter | Feb 29 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | Edwin E. Davis | | |
| | Henry Starely | | |
| Special | | | |
| Police | Arnold C. Perham | May 6 1924 | Town Clerk |
| for Fire Duty | Wilhelm T. Johnson | Mar 3 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | Loren J. Ellinwood | | |
| | Joseph D. Ryan | | |
| | Henry Quinn | | |

| Office | Name Of Officer | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Measurer of Sawdust | Pearl T. Durrell | Feb 29 1924 | Norman P. Mann |
| Weighers of Hay | Harry L. Parkhurst | March 7 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | Myron A. Queen | Feb 29 1924 | Norman P. Mann |
| Measurers of Lumber | Myron A. Queen | Feb 29 1924 | " " " |
| | Pearl T. Durrell | Feb 29 1924 | Norman P. Mann |
| | Joseph Erwin | Feb 29 1924 | " " " |
| | E. Hamlin Russell | Feb 23 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | March 7 1924 | " " |
| | Edward A. Voudal | | |
| | Francis O. Dutton | | |
| | Herbert C. Sweetser | Feb 27 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | James A. Burton | Feb 29 1924 | Norman P. Mann |
| | Arthur LaPrice | Feb 29 1924 | Norman P. Mann |
| | Edward B. Russell | Dec. 13 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | Walter W. Edwards | | |
| Weighers of Coal | Harry L. Parkhurst | March 7 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | John J. Dunigan | Mar 1 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | James P. Dunigan | | |
| Weighers of Merchandise | James F. Leahey | March 5 1924 | W. T. Pickens |
| | Paul McGregor | | |
| | James F. Dunigan | | |
| | James Long | Feb 29 1924 | Walter Chase |
| | William Brown | March 4 1924 | " " |
| | Walter Perham | March 4 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | Sinai Simard | March 4 1924 | " " |
| | James P. Dunigan | Apr 1 1924 | " " |
| | Sidney E. Perham | March 4 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | March 7 1924 | " " |
| | Michael Scollan | May 17 1924 | Walter Chase |

| Office | Name of Officer | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| | James F. Dunigan | Oct 1 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | Erwin W. Sweetser | March 20 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Measurers | Herbert C. Sweetser | Feb 27 1924 | Town Clerk |
| of Wood | John. J. Dunigan | Mar 1 1924 | Town Clerk |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | March 8 1924 | " " |
| | Pearl T. Durrell | Feb 29 1924 | Norman P. Moore |
| | Myron A. Queen | Feb 29 1924 | " " " |
| | Hosmer W. Sweetser | March 3 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Animal Inspector | Arnold C. Perham | April 2 1924 | " " |
| Fire Engineers | Arnold C. Perham | | |
| | John J. Hogan | | |
| | Loren Ellinwood | | |
| Special Police Officers With Out Pay | | | |

| Office | Name of Officer | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Meat Insp. | William S. Hall | | |
| B. of H. Agent | Mary E. Sheehan | | |
| Town Pounds | Town Farm<br>James S. Wotton—Barn | | |
| Sup't. Almshouse | Frank Hammond | Mar 1 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Matron Almshouse | Mrs Frank Hammond | | |

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex S.S

To Fred J. Vinal, Constable of the Town of Chelmsford,

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in their several Polling Places, viz:
Precinct One. Town Hall. Chelmsford Centre
Precinct Two. Town Hall. North Chelmsford
Precinct Three. Historical Hall West Chelmsford
Precinct Four. School House. East Chelmsford
Precinct Five. School House. South Chelmsford
Precinct Six. Golden Cove School House. Westlands

Tuesday the Twenty Ninth day of April 1924 at 12 o'clock M., for the following purpose:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices
7 Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the R. party
7 Alternate Delegates at Large " " " " " " " "
8 Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the D. party
8 Alternate Delegates at Large " " " " " " " "
2 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party 5th Congressional District
2 Alternate District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party 5th Congressional District
4 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party 5th Congressional District
4 Alternate District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party 5th Congressional District

The polls will be open from 12 m to 8 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least

before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Hereof fail not to make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this seventeenth day of April A. D. 1924

William E. Belleville
George W. Clay

Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the forgoing Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at least seven days before holding said meeting as directed by a vote of the Town

April 18 1924

Fred I Wood
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting held April 29 1924 at the six Precincts of the Town of Chelmsford for persons qualified to vote in Presidential Primaries the following Candidates received the number of votes set against their respective Names

| Office | Name Of Candidate | Party Political | Prec. #1 | Prec. #2 | Prec. #3 | Prec. #4 | Prec. #5 | Prec. #6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Delegates at Large | Channing H. Cox of Braintree | R | 118 | 41 | 14 | 24 | 19 | 53 | 279 |
| | Henry Cabot Lodge of Nahant | R | 118 | 41 | 13 | 21 | 17 | 53 | 269 |
| | Frederick H. Gillett, of Springfield | R | 115 | 41 | 13 | 19 | 17 | 48 | 259 |
| | William M. Butler of Braintree | R | 117 | 45 | 12 | 21 | 18 | 49 | 268 |
| | John H. Sherburne of Brookline | R | 115 | 42 | 13 | 21 | 18 | 48 | 263 |
| | Anna C. Bird, of Walpole | R | 114 | 41 | 13 | 21 | 19 | 49 | 263 |
| | Jesse G. Hall of Worcester | R | 112 | 40 | 14 | 22 | 19 | 48 | 259 |
| | Blanks | | 31 | 24 | 6 | 26 | — | 37 | 124 |
| Delegates at Large | Pauline R. Thayer of Lancaster | R | 111 | 39 | 12 | 21 | 18 | 46 | 247 |
| | Elizabeth Putnam of Braintree | R | 111 | 39 | 14 | 21 | 18 | 45 | 248 |
| | Charles H. Innes of Braintree | R | 109 | 40 | 12 | 20 | 17 | 43 | 241 |
| | John Jacob Rogers of Lowell | R | 117 | 44 | 14 | 24 | 19 | 53 | 271 |
| | Robert M. Stevens of Pittsfield | R | 110 | 41 | 12 | 20 | 17 | 46 | 246 |
| | Mary B. Browne of Salem | R | 108 | 40 | 13 | 19 | 18 | 47 | 245 |
| | Spencer Borden Jr. of Fall River | R | 110 | 40 | 12 | 21 | 17 | 45 | 245 |
| | Blanks | | 64 | 32 | 9 | 29 | — | 60 | 194 |
| District Delegates 5th District | Charles S. Smith of Lincoln | R | 117 | 41 | 14 | 22 | 18 | 49 | 261 |
| | Kimball Colby of Methuen | R | 115 | 43 | 13 | 22 | 18 | 48 | 259 |
| | Blanks | | 8 | 6 | 1 | 6 | — | 13 | 34 |
| Alternate District Delegates at Large 5th District | Victor Francis Jewett of Lowell | R | 107 | 39 | 14 | 21 | 15 | 44 | 240 |
| | Charles P. Howard of Reading | R | 106 | 37 | 13 | 21 | 15 | 39 | 231 |
| | Blanks | | — | 14 | 1 | 8 | — | 27 | 50 |

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| Office | Name of Candidate | Pol. Party | Prec. #1 | Prec. #2 | Prec. #3 | Prec. #4 | Prec. #5 | Prec. #6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Delegates at Large | David I. Walsh of Fitchburg | D | 6 | 13 | 19 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 44 |
| | Arthur Lyman of Waltham | D | 5 | 7 | 11 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 29 |
| | Joseph B. Ely of Westfield | D | 5 | 6 | 9 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 26 |
| | John F. Doherty of Boston | D | 5 | 8 | 18 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 37 |
| | Helen A. MacDonald | D | 4 | 7 | 13 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 30 |
| | Susan W. Fitzgerald of Boston | D | 5 | 7 | 13 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 31 |
| | Rose Herbert of Worcester | D | 5 | 6 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 26 |
| | Mary E. Mahan of Boston | D | 4 | 6 | 14 | 1 | 4 | — | 29 |
| | Blanks | | 13 | 115 | 80 | 1 | 4 | 9 | 222 |
| | Charles A. Cole of Boston | D | 2 | 14 | 2 | — | 1 | — | 19 |
| Alternate Delegates at Large | Arthur J. B. Cartier of Fall River | D | 3 | 6 | 9 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 23 |
| | William A. O'Hearn of No. Adams | D | 3 | 7 | 14 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 29 |
| | Jeremiah J. Healey of Natick | D | 3 | 7 | 14 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 29 |
| | Edward A. Sinsbury of Brookline | D | 3 | 4 | 8 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 20 |
| | Timothy Whipple Fry of Brookline | D | 3 | 6 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 24 |
| | Mary H. Quincy of Boston | D | 3 | 7 | 11 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 26 |
| | Anne O'Keefe Hoffman of Northampton | D | 3 | 6 | 12 | 1 | 2 | — | 24 |
| | Mary Bacigalupo of Boston | D | 2 | 3 | 8 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 18 |
| | Blanks | | 30 | 140 | 98 | — | 12 | 9 | 289 |
| District Delegates | William H. Doyle of Malden | D | 1 | 3 | 5 | — | 1 | — | 10 |
| | Andrew E. Barrett of Lowell | D | 5 | 5 | 11 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 27 |
| | Patrick W. Cox of Lowell | D | 4 | 4 | 5 | — | 2 | — | 15 |
| | John W. Haley of Lowell | D | 2 | 4 | 11 | — | 1 | 1 | 19 |
| | James H. Gilbride of Lowell | D | — | 15 | 5 | 1 | 1 | — | 22 |
| | Bernard J. Golden of Woburn | D | 1 | 13 | 7 | — | 1 | 1 | 23 |
| | Katherine F. McCarthy of Lowell | D | 1 | 7 | 12 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 23 |
| | Peter P. McMenimon of Lowell | D | 3 | 1 | 8 | — | — | 2 | 14 |
| | Humphrey O'Sullivan of Lowell | D | 6 | 10 | 14 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 35 |
| | Walter H. Wilcox of Woburn | D | — | 1 | 1 | — | — | — | 2 |
| | Blanks | | 32 | 129 | 115 | — | 24 | — | 30 |
| Alternate District Delegates | Michael H. Hoar of Lowell | D | 4 | 9 | 8 | 1 | — | 2 | 2 |
| | John J. Mullaney of Lowell | D | 4 | 8 | 12 | 1 | — | 2 | 2 |
| | John Valentine | | — | — | 1 | — | — | — | 1 |
| | James P. Hunigan | | — | — | 1 | — | — | — | 1 |
| | Jos. V. Hunnick | | — | — | 1 | — | — | — | 1 |
| | Blanks | | 4 | 25 | 62 | — | 4 | — | 9 |

Warrant for Special Town Meeting
at Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre,
Monday Evening, May 19 1924

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex SS.
To Fred J. Vinal, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford:
Greeting:
In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre, on Monday the nineteenth day of May current, at 8 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles viz:

Article 1 - To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Fire Engineers to sell the old fire wagon now kept at South Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

Article 2 - To see if the Town will appoint a special committee to confer from time to time with the engineers and officials of the Commonwealth and County of Middlesex having the matter in charge, relative to the reconstruction of Princeton Street and Middlesex Street; or act in relation thereto.

Article 3 - To see if the Town will consent to the appropriation and use by the City of Lowell for the purpose of a public Cemetery of a triangular parcel of land, bounded Easterly by Carlisle Street, Westerly by Boston Road, and Northerly by the Lowell-Chelmsford Town line, should the same be approved by the Board of Health of Chelmsford, pursuant to the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 114, Section 32

entitled "Cemeteries and Burials", or act in relation thereto.

Article 4 - To see if the Town will consent to the appropriation and use by the City of Lowell for the purpose of a public Cemetery of about fifteen acres of land situated on the westerly side of Boston Road and bounded northerly by the Lowell Chelmsford Town line and land used or intended to be used as an annex to the Edson Cemetery, should the same be approved by the Board of Health of Chelmsford, pursuant to the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 114 Section 34, entitled "Cemeteries and Burials", or act in relation thereto.

Article 5 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seventeen Hundred Dollars ($1700.00) and borrow the further sum of thirty-three Hundred Dollars ($3300.00), or what other sum, with which to purchase a stone Crusher for the Highway Department, or raise and appropriate any, and, if any, what amount therefor, or act in relation thereto.

Article 6 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the further sum of Three Thousand Dollars, ($3000.00) to be added to the general Highway Fund and used for oiling the public roads in Town or act in relation thereto.

Article 7 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred Dollars ($700.00) to be added to the sum of Three Hundred Dollars ($300.00) appropriated

at the last annual town meeting for the care and maintenance of the Hemstable Road, so called, and vote to pay one half the expense of maintaining the Hemstable Road and Middlesex street as altered during the reconstruction of Fairview street and Middlesex street, the other half to be paid by the Commonwealth; or act in relation thereto.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00), or what other sum, for the purpose of locating the precinct lines and bounding the precincts of the Town of Chelmsford, and procuring plans of the same; or act in relation thereto.

Article 9. To see if the Town will appoint a Committee of three, or any and what other number, to obtain tentative plans and specifications for a new grammar school building at the Center Village, and to report at a future meeting an estimate of the cost of the same and of a suitable site therefor; or act in relation thereto.

Article 10. In event of affirmative action under the preceding article, to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum with which to meet the expenses of the Committee appointed thereunder; or act in relation thereto.

Article 11 - To see if the Town will vote to accept as a gift from the Village Improvement Association of the Centre Village the fire whistle and equipment already installed in the Centre Town Hall; or act in relation thereto.

Article 12 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($150.00) as an additional appropriation for transportation for the Board of Health, or act in relation thereto.

Article 13 — To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) for the purpose of removing a tree on Gay Street in the North Village located in the sidewalk in front of the residence of George E. Gagnon; or act in relation thereto.

Article 14 - To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation at the then prevailing price per light for the following additional lights, and will raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to meet the expense thereof, viz:
Three lights on Littleton Street, the most Westerly one to be near the dwelling house owned by A. M. Warren.
Five lights on Hatton Road between Stedman Street and the North Road; or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting Attested Copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsfo

North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford, and at the School House in East Chelmsford and at the Golden Cove School House, Westland, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting

Hereof fail not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this tenth day of May, in the year of our Lord Nineteen hundred twenty four

William E Billerica
George W. Clay

Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town

Fred I. Kind
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant at the Upper Town Hall, Centre Village, Monday May 19 1924 at 8.00 o'clock P. M. the following business was transacted to wit: The meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Perham and the Warrant read by Town Clerk Harold C Patterson.

Under Article 1 – Voted that the Fire Engineers be and hereby are authorized to sell either at Public Auction or by advertised bids, the old fire wagon now kept at Snell Chelmsford.

Under Article 2 – Voted to appoint a special Committee of three to confer from time to time with the engineers and officials of the Commonwealth and County of Middlesex having the matter in charge, relative to the reconstruction of Princeton and Middlesex shute and that the Chair appoint above mentioned committee; the Chair appointed as this Committee John Hogan, William T. Picken and Bernard F. Gilmore. This Committee to report at a future Meeting

Under Article 3 –
Voted to dismiss this Article

Under Article 4 –
Voted to dismiss this Article.

Under Article 5 – Voted that the Board of Selectmen be and hereby are authorized and empowered to purchase as a part of the highway equipment of the Town, a stone Crusher of such capacity and make as they may approve at a cost not exceeding Five thousand ($5000.00) dollars and that the Town

raise and appropriate therefor the sum of Seventeen hundred ($1700.00) dollars and borrow the balance at a rate of interest not exceeding 6% per annum payable semi annually and issue therefor three promissory notes each for the principal sum of one third the total amount borrowed, payable at the expiration of one, two and three years from the date thereof, such note or notes to be signed by the Treasurer and Countersigned by a majority of the Board of Selectmen.
197 voted in the affirmative the vote was unanimous

Under Article 6 –

Voted that the sum of three thousand ($3000.00) be raised and appropriated as an addition to the general highway fund and used for oiling the public roads of the town.

Under Article 7 –

Voted that the sum of Seven hundred dollars ($700.00) be raised and appropriated and that the same together with the sum of Three Hundred ($300.00) dollars appropriated at the last annual meeting for the care and maintenance of the Hunstable Road, so called, be used to pay one half the expense of maintaining the Hunstable Road and Middlesex street as detours during the reconstruction of Princeton street and Middlesex street, the other half to be paid by the Commonwealth

Under Article 8 –

This Article was voted on in the negative.

Under Article 9.

An Motion made by Mr. Porter as follows: That a committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to act under this Article and to report at the next Annual Town meeting, Mr Jos. P. Hannigan

offered an amendment to Mr. Proctor's motion, and the amendment was carried as follows:

Voted that a special committee be appointed to obtain tentative plans and specifications for a new grammar school building at the Centre Village and in the alternative also to obtain tentative plans and specifications for remodeling the present grammar school at the Centre Village and to report at a future meeting an estimate of the cost of a new building and of a suitable site therefor, and an estimate of the cost of remodeling the present building and of procuring additional land adjoining the said present site for playground purposes, and that the Committee consist of the following named:
Charles H. Clough, Thomas H. Varnum, F. Vincent Kelly, M. Edward Riney and William E. Bellville.

Under Article 10–

Voted that a sum of money not to exceed $1000.00 be raised & appropriated to defray the expense of the Committee under Article 9.

Under Article 11.

Voted to accept as a gift from the Village Improvement Association of the Centre Village the fire whistle and equipment already installed in the Centre Town Hall.

Under Article 12

Voted that the sum of Fifty ($50.00) dollars be raised and appropriated as an additional appropriation for transportation for the Board of Health.

Under Article 13.

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $75.00 for the purpose of removing a tree located in the sidewalk in front of the residence of George E. Gagnon on Gay St. in the North Village.

Under Article 14.

Voted to authorize the Selectmen to Contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation at the then prevailing price per light for the following lights and raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to meet the expense thereof, to wit:

Three lights on Littleton Street, the most westerly one to be near the dwelling house owned by G. M. Warren.

Five lights on Walton Road between Stedman Street and the North Road

Voted to dissolve the meeting at 10.30 P.M.

Harold C. Patterson
Town Clerk

Walter Pulsifer
Moderator

Precinct Officers appointed Sept 1 1924
by Selectmen to serve for one year ending
Sept 1 1925

| Office | Name | Prec | When Qualified | By Whom |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Warden | Daniel Haley — D | 1 | Sept 8 1924 | Patrick H. Haley |
| Clerk | John H. Pratt — | 1 | Sept 9 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Dep. Warden | Pearl M Adams | 1 | Sept 1924 | Walter Clemmith |
| " Clerk | Walter H. McMahon | 1 | Sept 8 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | Frances J. Sheehan | 1 | Sept 8 1924 | H. C. Sweeton |
| " | Annie C. Davis | 1 | Sept 8 1924 | Town Clerk |
| " | Edith A. Perham | 1 | Sept 4 1924 | Town Clerk |
| " | Bessie A. Perham | 1 | Sept 4 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Warden | James McQuade | 2 | Sept 9 1924 | John H. Valentine |
| Clerk | Edna Bollinger | 2 | Sept 4 1924 | Wm T. Picken N.P. |
| Dep. Warden | Mary Murphy | 2 | Sept 1924 | F. J. Gorsey |
| " Clerk | Michael O'Brien | 2 | Sept 6 1924 | J. H. Valentine |
| Inspector | George Welch | 2 | | |
| " | | | | |
| " | Georgia M. Queen | 2 | Sept 4 1924 | Town Clerk |
| " | Edith M. Steele | 2 | Sept 4 1924 | J. H. Valentine N.P. |
| " | Mary K. Daley | 2 | | |
| " | Ruth Conlin | 2 | Sept 9 1924 | J. H. Valentine |
| Warden | Thomas Roark | 3 | Sept 8 1924 | Town clerk |
| Clerk | Loren J. Ellinwood | 3 | Sept 3 1924 | Frederick A. Linnell N.P. |
| Dep. Warden | Bayard C. Dean | 3 | Sept 9 1924 | L. J. Ellinwood |
| " Clerk | Katherine D. Riney | 3 | Sept 8 1924 | L. J. Ellinwood |
| Inspector | Rita G. Anderson | 3 | Sept 4 1924 | Loren J. Ellinwood N.P. |
| " | James Savage | 3 | Sept 8 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Warden | Daniel Reardon | 4 | Sept 6 1924 | Mary J. Lily |
| Clerk | Lewis H. Jennison | 4 | Sept 9 1924 | Mary J. Lily |
| Dep. Warden | Lydia A. Barris | 4 | Sept 9 1924 | " " " |
| " Clerk | Minnie A. Devine | 4 | Sept 8 1924 | Mary J. Lily |
| Inspector | George A. McNulty | 4 | Sept 5 1924 | Edward Robbins |
| " | Annie Shedd | 4 | Sept 8 1924 | Mary J. Lily |

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| Warden | John P. Scoboria | 5 | Sept 8 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | Sydney E. Dupee | 5 | Sept 4 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Dep. Warden | George L. Waite | 5 | Sept 1924 | Wm E. Belleville |
| " Clerk | Caroline Wright | 5 | Sept 4 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | John F. Parker | 5 | Sept 8 1924 | H. Edwards |
| " | Ethel M. Wright | 5 | Sept 8 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Warden | George A. McIntosh | 6 | Sept 5 1924 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | John J. Keefe | 6 | Sept 6 1924 | " " |
| Dep. Warden | Robert Henderson | 6 | Sept 8 1924 | " " |
| " Clerk | Arvila Wood | 6 | | |
| Inspector | Raymond T Osborn | 6 | Sept 8 1924 | Geo E. French |
| " | Eleanor Parker | 6 | Sept 9 1924 | Town Clerk |

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex SS.

To Fred I. Vinal, Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in their several Polling Places viz:

Precinct #1, Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre
Precinct #2, Town Hall, North Chelmsford
Precinct #3, Historical Hall, West Chelmsford
Precinct #4, School House East Chelmsford
Precinct #5, School House South Chelmsford
Precinct #6, Golden Cove School House, Westlands

Tuesday, the Ninth day of September 1924, at 4 o'clock P. M. for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following Offices:

Governor, for the Commonwealth
Lieutenant Governor for the Commonwealth
Sec. of the Commonwealth " " "
Treas. & Receiver General " " "
Auditor of the Commonwealth " " "
Attorney General " " "
Senator in Congress " " "
Representative in Congress " 5th Congressional District
Councillor " 6th Councillor "
Senator " 8th Senatorial "
Representative in General Court " 11th Representative "
County Commissioner (2) " Middlesex County
Register of Probate & Insolvency " " "
County Treasurer " " "
and for the Election of the following officers

District Member of State Committee for each Political Party for the 8th Senatorial District
Members of the Republican Town Committee
" " " Democratic " "
Delegates to the State Conventions of the Republican Party
" " " " " " " Democratic "
All the above Candidates and Officers are to be voted for upon one ballot.
The polls will be open from 4 P.M. to 9 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford and West Chelmsford, and at the School House East Chelmsford and at the Golden Cross School House Westlands, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting
Hereof fail not, and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding said meeting.
Given under our hands this 30th day of August A.D. 1924

William E. Bellerville
George Rigby
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town

Fred I Vinal
Constable of Chelmsford

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting held September 9 1924 at the Six Precincts of the Town of Chelmsford for persons qualified to vote in State Primaries the following Candidates received the number of votes set against their respective names.

| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | Prec #1 | Prec #2 | Prec #3 | Prec #4 | Prec #5 | Prec #6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Governor | Alvan T. Fuller - of 81 Appleton St - Malden | R | 59 | 44 | 15 | 9 | 25 | 36 | 188 |
| | James Jackson - of Grove St - Westwood | R | 348 | 245 | 32 | 28 | 28 | 78 | 759 |
| | Blanks | | 1 | 9 | 0 | 29 | 0 | 42 | 81 |
| Lieutenant Governor | Frank G. Allen - of 289 Walpole St - Norwood | R | 369 | 249 | 42 | 31 | 46 | 106 | 843 |
| | Blanks | | 39 | 49 | 5 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 113 |
| Secretary | Frederick W. Cook - of 75 Benten Rd - Somerville | R | 341 | 244 | 37 | 31 | 51 | 97 | 801 |
| | Blanks | | 67 | 54 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 133 |
| Treasurer | Otis Allen - of 270 Gibson St - Lowell | R | 122 | 107 | 20 | 20 | 24 | 55 | 348 |
| | William A. Allen - of 4 Nixon Place - Boston | R | 15 | 15 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 39 |
| | James W. Bean - of 5 Ellsworth Ave - Cambridge | R | 24 | 17 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 52 |
| | Fred J. Burrell - of 22 Ashland St - Medford | R | 35 | 26 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 7 | 75 |
| | Horace A. Keith - of 1090 Main St - Brockton | R | 28 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 42 |
| | William S. Youngman - of 53 Strathmore Rd. Boston | R | 143 | 85 | 17 | 6 | 15 | 40 | 306 |
| | Blanks | | 41 | 42 | 2 | 194 | 5 | 227 | 511 |
| Auditor | Herbert W. Burr of 45 Nixon St - Boston | R | 55 | 49 | 9 | 6 | 10 | 18 | 147 |
| | Alonzo B. Cook - of 27 Wales St - Boston | R | 194 | 156 | 26 | 20 | 27 | 49 | 472 |
| | Harold D. Wilson - of 195 Summer St - Somerville | R | 97 | 48 | 6 | 7 | 12 | 33 | 203 |
| | Blanks | | 62 | 45 | 6 | 81 | 4 | 106 | 304 |
| Atty General | Jay R. Benton - of 3 Pequosette Rd Belmont | R | 335 | 233 | 40 | 28 | 45 | 100 | 781 |
| | Blanks | | 73 | 65 | 7 | 10 | 8 | 7 | 170 |
| Senator in Congress | Louis A. Coolidge - of Dudley Lane - Milton | R | 110 | 85 | 17 | 17 | 13 | 34 | 276 |
| | Frederick W. Dallinger - of 7 Linnaean St. Cambridge | R | 61 | 74 | 8 | 5 | 13 | 20 | 181 |
| | Frederick H. Gillett - of 140 Chestnut St. Springfield | R | 206 | 105 | 19 | 11 | 22 | 55 | 418 |
| | Blanks | | 31 | 34 | 3 | 81 | 5 | 93 | 247 |

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| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | Prec #1 | Prec #2 | Prec #3 | Prec #4 | Prec #5 | Prec #6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Congressman 5th District | John Jacob Rogers - of 444 Andover St - Lowell | R | 368 | 261 | 45 | 33 | 51 | 110 | 868 |
| | Blanks | | 40 | 37 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 88 |
| Councillor 6th District | Frank R. Bailey - of 106 Butterfield St, Lowell | R | 55 | 64 | 11 | 3 | 12 | 17 | 162 |
| | Abel R. Campbell - of 7 Roth St - Lowell | R | 254 | 138 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 82 | 537 |
| | Charles S. Smith - of Lincoln | R | 47 | 33 | 8 | 9 | 14 | 8 | 119 |
| | Blanks | | 54 | 63 | 8 | 81 | 5 | 117 | 328 |
| Senator 8th Middlesex Dist. | Frank H. Putnam - of Lowell | R | 336 | 215 | 39 | 31 | 48 | 97 | 766 |
| | Blanks | | 72 | 83 | 8 | 7 | 5 | 13 | 188 |
| Representative in Gen. Court 11 Middlesex Dist. | Langdon Prouty - of Littleton | R | 311 | 203 | 38 | 28 | 45 | 81 | 706 |
| | Blanks | | 97 | 95 | 9 | 10 | 8 | 17 | 236 |
| County Commissioners Middlesex | William G. Andrew - of Somerville | R | 81 | 73 | 15 | 14 | 15 | 44 | 242 |
| | Alfred L. Cutting - of Weston | R | 197 | 126 | 29 | 19 | 33 | 49 | 453 |
| | Andrew L. Wardwell - of Cambridge | R | 59 | 47 | 8 | 9 | 6 | 18 | 147 |
| | Walter C. Wardwell - of Cambridge | R | 204 | 136 | 18 | 13 | 25 | 58 | 454 |
| | Blanks | | 259 | 214 | 24 | 97 | 26 | 154 | 774 |
| Register of Probate and Insolvency Middlesex | Arthur C. Coker - of Somerville | R | 47 | 39 | 7 | 4 | 7 | 12 | 116 |
| | Charles N. Harris - of Winchester | R | 129 | 102 | 17 | 21 | 22 | 38 | 329 |
| | Russell A. Wood - of Cambridge | R | 91 | 60 | 13 | 6 | 15 | 28 | 213 |
| | Blanks | | 41 | 97 | 10 | 83 | 9 | 120 | 360 |
| County Treas. Middlesex | Charles E. Hatfield - of Newton | R | 310 | 212 | 37 | 31 | 48 | 94 | 732 |
| | Blanks | | 98 | 86 | 10 | 7 | 5 | 12 | 218 |
| Delegates to State Convention | Robert W. Barris - of Chelmsford | R | 235 | 140 | 29 | 31 | 31 | 64 | 530 |
| | James P. Donigan | R | — | 1 | — | — | 1 | — | 2 |
| | Sidney Dupee | R | 1 | 3 | — | — | 1 | — | 5 |
| | John J. Monahan | R | — | 2 | — | — | 1 | 2 | 5 |
| | Walter Perham | R | 1 | 6 | — | 1 | — | — | 8 |
| | Edward J. Robbins | R | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | — | — | 7 |
| | Samuel Kershaw | R | — | 2 | — | — | 1 | — | 3 |
| | John Valentine | R | — | 2 | — | — | — | — | 2 |
| | Harold C. Petherson | R | — | 3 | — | 1 | 1 | — | 5 |
| | Royal Shawcross | R | — | 1 | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | William Picken | R | — | 1 | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | George Rigby | R | 1 | 2 | — | — | — | 3 | 6 |
| | Herbert Sweetser | R | 1 | 1 | — | 1 | 1 | — | 4 |
| | Charles Nichols | R | — | 1 | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | William Shedd | R | — | 1 | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | Herbert S. Russell | R | — | 1 | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | Arthur McComb | R | — | 1 | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | Arthur Wheeler | R | — | 1 | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | William E. Belleville | R | — | — | — | 1 | — | 3 | 4 |
| | Ralph Berg | R | — | — | — | — | — | 1 | 1 |
| | Loren J. Ellinwood | R | — | — | 1 | — | — | — | 1 |
| | Fred Snow | R | 1 | — | 1 | — | — | — | 1 |
| | Charles DelaHaye | R | — | — | 1 | — | — | — | 1 |
| | John Whitworth | R | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | Charles Clough | R | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | Charles Bartlett | R | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | George Day | R | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | Arnold Perham | R | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | Ralph W. Emerson | R | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | Albert H. Davis | R | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | Donald Adams | R | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | Raymond Hazeltine | R | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |

| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | Prec #1 | Prec #2 | Prec #3 | Prec #4 | Prec #5 | Prec #6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Town Committee | Robert W. Barris | R | 109 | 44 | 13 | 27 | 25 | 25 | 243 |
| | William E. Belleville | R | 91 | 53 | 16 | 17 | 26 | 21 | 224 |
| | James P. Dunigan | R | 65 | 79 | 11 | 10 | 22 | 14 | 201 |
| | Sidney E. Dupee | R | 106 | 34 | 15 | 14 | 37 | 18 | 224 |
| | Samuel S. Kershaw | R | 59 | 48 | 13 | 10 | 22 | 14 | 166 |
| | John J. Monahan | R | 79 | 58 | 22 | 11 | 23 | 18 | 211 |
| | Emile E. Paignon | R | 89 | 36 | 13 | 13 | 26 | 15 | 192 |
| | Walter Perham | R | 140 | 59 | 12 | 17 | 31 | 21 | 280 |
| | Harold C. Petterson | R | 101 | 98 | 17 | 16 | 29 | 23 | 284 |
| | George Rigby | R | 89 | 81 | 11 | 11 | 20 | 20 | 232 |
| | Edward J. Robbins | R | 102 | 60 | 12 | 19 | 28 | 19 | 240 |
| | Herbert C. Sweetser | R | 115 | 58 | 13 | 18 | 33 | 24 | 261 |
| | John H. Valentine | R | 74 | 72 | 7 | 10 | 21 | 11 | 195 |
| | John W. Whitworth | R | 40 | 43 | 8 | 10 | 20 | 10 | 131 |
| | F. Vincent Kelley | R | — | — | — | — | — | 28 | 28 |
| | George McIntosh | R | — | — | — | — | — | 3 | 3 |
| | Ralph Berg | R | — | — | — | — | — | 1 | 1 |
| | George Davis | R | 3 | 12 | — | — | — | — | 15 |
| | Royal Shawcross | R | 5 | 17 | — | — | — | — | 22 |
| | George Swallow | R | 4 | 14 | — | — | — | — | 18 |
| | Arne Olson | R | 5 | 14 | — | — | — | — | 19 |
| | Charles DeLaHaye | R | 5 | 14 | — | — | — | — | 19 |
| | Gabriel Hudoin | R | 4 | 15 | — | — | — | — | 19 |
| | James S. Wotton | R | 4 | 13 | — | — | — | — | 17 |
| | George Cutler | R | 4 | 14 | — | — | — | — | 18 |
| | Albert L. Emery | R | 4 | 11 | — | — | — | — | 15 |
| | Sinal Simard | R | 5 | — | — | — | — | — | 5 |
| | Edith Hemenway | R | 4 | — | — | — | — | — | 4 |
| | Bessie A. Byam | R | 4 | — | — | — | — | — | 4 |
| | Adeline Carll | R | 4 | — | — | — | — | — | 4 |
| | Emma Dane | R | 3 | — | — | — | — | — | 3 |
| | Bessie A. Perham | R | 4 | — | — | — | — | — | 4 |
| | Annie C. Davis | R | 4 | — | — | — | — | — | 4 |
| | Eli Crabtree | R | 4 | 13 | — | — | — | — | 17 |
| | Grace Perham | | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | William Brown | R | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | Albert L. Emery | | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | | R | | | | | | | |
| | | R | | | | | | | |
| | | R | | | | | | | |
| | | R | | | | | | | |
| State Committee | George Rigby | R | 1 | 2 | — | — | — | — | 3 |
| | Frank Butterfield | R | — | 1 | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | James P. Dunnigan | R | 1 | 1 | — | — | — | — | 2 |
| | Harold C. Petterson | R | 1 | — | 1 | — | — | — | 2 |
| | John J. Monahan | R | 1 | — | — | — | 1 | 2 | 4 |
| | Edgar Bills | R | — | — | — | — | 1 | — | 1 |
| | Sidney E. Dupee | R | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | Emile Paignon | R | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | Herbert Sweetser | R | 2 | — | — | — | — | — | 2 |
| | Walter Perham | R | 3 | — | — | — | — | 2 | 5 |
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| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | Prec #1 | Prec #2 | Prec #3 | Prec #4 | Prec #5 | Prec #6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Governor | James M. Curley-of-Boston | D | 14 | 23 | 3 | 18 | 0 | 2 | 60 |
| | Blanks | | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 7 |
| Lieutenant Governor | Thomas J. Boynton-of-Arlington | D | 5 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 15 |
| | John J. Cummings-of-Boston | D | 5 | 6 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| | William A. O'Hearn-of-North Adams | D | 4 | 10 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 22 |
| | Blanks | | 1 | 4 | 0 | 45 | 0 | 12 | 62 |
| Secretary | H. Oscar Rocheleau-of-Worcester | D | 8 | 19 | 3 | 12 | 0 | 3 | 45 |
| | Blanks | | 7 | 6 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 2 | 23 |
| Treasurer | Michael L. Eisner-of-Pittsfield | D | 10 | 19 | 3 | 13 | 0 | 3 | 48 |
| | Blanks | | 5 | 6 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 20 |
| Auditor | Blanks | | 15 | 25 | 3 | 20 | 0 | 5 | 68 |
| Atty General | John E Swift-of-Milford | D | 12 | 19 | 3 | 14 | 0 | 2 | 50 |
| | Blanks | | 3 | 6 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 18 |
| Senator in Cong. | David I Walsh-of-Fitchburg | D | 14 | 23 | 3 | 20 | 0 | 4 | 64 |
| | Blanks | | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| Congressman 5th Dist | Humphrey O'Sullivan-of-Lowell | D | 13 | 22 | 3 | 17 | 0 | 4 | 59 |
| | Blanks | | 2 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 9 |
| Councillor 6th Dist. | Blanks | D | 15 | 25 | 3 | 20 | 0 | 5 | 68 |
| Senator 8th Middlesex Dist | Blanks | D | 15 | 25 | 3 | 20 | 0 | 5 | 68 |
| Representative in Gen. Court 8th Middlesex Dist | Blanks | D | 15 | 25 | 3 | 20 | 0 | 5 | 68 |
| Co. Commissioners Middlesex | Blanks | D<br>D | 15 | 25 | 3 | 20 | 0 | 5 | 68 |
| Register of Probate and Insolvency Middlesex | John J. Butler of Wakefield | D | 5 | 15 | 3 | 14 | 0 | 3 | 40 |
| | Blanks | | 10 | 10 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 31 |
| County Treas. Middlesex | Charles E. Hatfield-of-Newton | D | 4 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 20 |
| | Daniel F. McBride-of-Medford | D | 6 | 11 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 28 |
| | Blanks | | 5 | 9 | 0 | 24 | 0 | 3 | 41 |

| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | Prec #1 | Prec #2 | Prec #3 | Prec #4 | Prec #5 | Prec #6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| State Com. 4th Middls. Dist | Daniel A. Reardon | D | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Karl Perham | D | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | John Harrington | D | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Delegates to State Convention | Karl Perham | D | 4 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 |
| | John Harrington | D | 4 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 |
| | Daniel Haley | D | 4 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 |
| | Annie J. Devine | D | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Town Committee | Annie J. Devine | D | 5 | 13 | 3 | 12 | 0 | 1 | 34 |
| | Frank J. Garvey | D | 5 | 18 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 34 |
| | Daniel E. Haley | D | 9 | 14 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 32 |
| | John E. Harrington | D | 7 | 16 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 2 | 36 |
| | John J. Keefe | D | 5 | 9 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 22 |
| | George A. McNulty | D | 4 | 10 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 25 |
| | Karl M. Perham | D | 8 | 10 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 28 |
| | Thomas E. Roark | D | 4 | 9 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 21 |
| | Joseph A. Woodhead | D | 5 | 12 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 26 |
| | Ethel M. Wright | D | 4 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 17 |
| | William H. Quigley | D | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | James B. McQuade | D | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Entered Total Vote Cast in 6 Precincts | | 426 | 323 | 50 | 158 | 53 | 122 | 1032 |

Warrant for Special Town Meeting at Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre Monday Evening, October 20 1924

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex Co:
To Fred I. Vinal, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre, on Monday, the twentieth day of October current, at 8 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles viz:

Article 1 To see if the Town will vote to increase the number of Selectmen from three to five, and the number of the School Committee from three to six, and the number of Assessors from three to five; or act in relation thereto.

Article 2 To see if the Town will accept and allow a location and taking on October 6 1924, as and for a public park under the right of eminent domain by the Board of Park Commissioners, of a certain lot of land situated in said Chelmsford on the Northerly side of Chelmsford Street and the Southerly side of Skelton Road, containing forty eight hundred and eighty five square feet, more or less, as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto

Article 3 In the event of affirmative action under Article 2, to see if the Town will appropriate a sum sufficient for the estimated expense to be incurred by the Town thereunder; or act in relation thereto.

Article 4 To hear and act upon the report of a special Committee appointed at the last special meeting to obtain tentative plans and specifications for a new grammar school building at the Centre Village, and to report at a future meeting an estimate of the cost of the same and of a suitable site therefor, or act in relation thereto.

Article 5 To see if the Town will vote to petition the Legislature for authority to borrow a sufficient sum of money outside the debt limit for the purpose of building a new grammar school at Chelmsford Centre; or act in relation thereto.

Article 6 To see if the Town will appropriate a certain sum of money to do temporary repairs on the Plimsoll Road in North Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Office in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford, and at the School House at East Chelmsford and at the Westlands, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this tenth day of October, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty four.

William E. Belleville
George W. Clay
George Rigby
Selectmen of Chelmsford.

Return

I have served the foregoing warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than Seven days before the time of said meeting, as directed by vote of the Town.

Fred J. Vinal
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs, held pursuant to Warrant at the Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre, on Monday evening October 20 1924 at 8 o'clock P.M. the following business was transacted to wit: The meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Perham and the Warrant read by Town Clerk Harold Pettigrew.

Under Article 1. On a motion made by Mr. Gustafson that the Board of Selectmen be increased from three to five, the Board of Assessors from three to five and the School Committee from three to six, after hearing arguments in favor by Mr. Gustafson, Mr. John J. Monahan Mr. Quinn and Mr. Charles Devine and Mr. F. Vincent Kelley, and arguments in opposition by

Dr. Varney, Mr. James P. Flanigan, Mr. Edward J. Robbins, Mr. Frank J. Lupien and Mr. Gabriel Audoin, this motion was voted on in the negative.

Under Article 2. On a motion made by Mr. Grant that the Town accept and allow a location and taking on Oct. 6 1924, as and for a public park under the right of eminent domain by the Board of Park Commissioners of a certain lot of land situated in said Chelmsford on the Northerly side of Chelmsford Street and the southerly side of Dalton Road, containing forty eight hundred and eighty-five square feet of land, more or less, as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk.

This motion was voted on in the affirmative.

Under Article 3, On a motion made by James A. Grant it was voted that the sum of Seven Hundred and Seventy-nine dollars be appropriated out of money already in the Treasury to meet the estimated expenses to be incurred under the preceding Article.

Under Article 4. Mr. Charles H. Clough reported for the Committee appointed at the last Special Town Meeting to investigate the advisability of remodeling the Old Center Grammar School and to obtain tentative plans and specifications for a new grammar school building and a site for the same, at the Center Village.

Mr. Clough reported that the Committee after consulting with their Architect and Engineer had decided that it would be a waste of money to try and remodel the old school building, therefore they had plans made of a

a twelve room brick building including an assembly hall that would seat one thousand persons, also that the Committee had chosen a site for this building on Wilson St on a lot adjacent to the High School site.
The estimated cost of this land or site with the building fully equipped would be $165,000.00.
Mr. M. Edward Piney a member of this Committee explained the Committee's idea in financing this project, as suggested by Mr. Waddell the State Director of Accounts as follows: $10000 to be raised by tax levy, $30000 to be taken from the Excess & Deficiency account, $25000 to be borrowed inside of the debt limit, $100,000 to be borrowed outside the debt limit, providing that the succeeding article is acted upon in the affirmative and favorable action is taken on this proposition when it comes before the voters at the annual Town meeting in Feb 1925.
It was voted to accept this report as a report of progress.

Under Article 5- On a motion made by Mr. C. H. Clough and seconded by Mr. M. Edward Piney, it was voted that, the Selectmen petition the legislature for the authority to borrow the sum of $100,000 outside the debt limit for school House purposes.

Under Article 6- In regards to this article Mr. William E. Belleville explained that the State were already making the necessary repairs on the Dunstable Road in North Chelmsford and therefore Mr. Belleville made a motion that this article be dismissed, and it was so voted.

Voted to dissolve the meeting at 10 PM.

Walter Perham Moderator  Harold Pettum Town Clerk.

Warrant for State Election
November 4th 1924

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex SS.
To Fred J. Vinal, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in elections and also in town affairs to meet in their several Polling Places, viz:

Precinct 1, Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre
Precinct 2, Town Hall, North Chelmsford
Precinct 3, Historical Hall, West Chelmsford
Precinct 4, School House, East Chelmsford
Precinct 5, School House, South Chelmsford
Precinct 6 - Golden Cove School House, Westlands

on Tuesday, the Fourth day of November, 1924 being the Tuesday after the first Monday in said month, at 6 30 o'Clock A.M. for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes for the following officers

Presidential Electors
Governor for this Commonwealth
Lieutenant Governor for this Commonwealth
Secretary " " "
Treasurer " " "
Auditor " " "

Attorney General for the Commonwealth
Senator in Congress " "
Congressman for fifth Congressional District
Councillor " sixth Councillor "
Senator " eighth Senatorial "
One Representative in 11th Representative "
Two County Commissioners for Middlesex County
Register of Probate & Insolvency " " "
County Treasurer " " "
and to act upon the following matters

Acceptance of the following "Proposed Amendments to the Constitution"

Article of Amendment

Article III of the Amendments to the Constitution, as amended is hereby further amended by striking out, in the first line, the word male.

Article of Amendments

Section One. No person shall be deemed to be ineligible to hold state, county, or municipal office by reason of sex.

Section Two. Article IV of the Articles of amendment of the Constitution of the Commonwealth, as amended by Article ~~XVII~~ of said amendments, is hereby further amended by striking out the words "Change of name shall under the commission void, but shall not prevent reappointment under new name," and inserting in place thereof the following words: Upon the change of name of any woman, she shall re-register under her new name and shall pay such fee therefor as shall be established by the general court

"Laws Submitted Upon Referendum After Passage"
Acceptance of Chap. 370, Acts of 1923, entitled "An Act relative to intoxicating liquors and certain nonintoxicating beverages

Acceptance of Chap. 454 Acts of 1923. entitled, An Act to provide funds toward the cost of construction and maintenance of highways and bridges by means of an excise tax on gasolene and other fuel used for propelling motor vehicles upon or over the highways of the Commonwealth

Acceptance of Chap. 473. Acts of 1923 entitled "An act relating to deposits with others than banks.

Acceptance of Chap. 210 Acts of 1924 entitled "An Act to ascertain the will of the people with reference to the retention of the daylight saving law, so called.

Acceptance of Chap. 509, Acts of 1924 entitled "An act to ascertain the opinion of the people of the Commonwealth as to the ratification of the proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States empowering the Congress to limit, regulate and prohibit the labor of persons under eighteen years of age.

The Polls will be open from
5.30 A. M to 4 P. M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty seventh day of Oct. A.D. 1924

William E. Bellavith
George Rigby
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town

Fred J. Vinal
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

State Election Nov. 4th 1924

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in State and Town affairs, held pursuant to Warrant at the several Precincts of the Town on Tuesday, November 4th 1924 from 7 30 A.M to 4 P.M, The following persons received the number of vote set against their respective names:

To wit:

ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT

| Office | Names of Candidates | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | **COOLIDGE and DAWES** — Republican | 688 | 476 | 87 | 101 | 90 | 200 | 1642 |
| | **DAVIS and BRYAN** — Democratic | 54 | 171 | 12 | 51 | 8 | 23 | 319 |
| | **FOSTER and GITLOW** — Workers Party | 3 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 13 |
| | **JOHNS and REYNOLDS** — Socialist Labor Party | 2 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 10 |
| | **LA FOLLETTE and WHEELER** — Independent-Progressive | 50 | 72 | 25 | 45 | 4 | 21 | 217 |
| | Blanks | 20 | 57 | 2 | 9 | 4 | 8 | 95 |

**COOLIDGE and DAWES — Republican**

AT LARGE
- George A. Bacon of Longmeadow
- Hester S. Fearing of Boston

BY DISTRICTS
1. Arthur S. Gaylord of Holyoke
2. Charles S. Warner of Northfield
3. Telesphore Leboeuf of Webster
4. Frank Roe Batchelder of Worcester
5. Edith Nourse Rogers of Lowell
6. Gayden W. Morrill of Newburyport
7. Effie S. Attwill of Lynn
8. William W. Davis of Cambridge
9. Emma Fall Schofield of Malden
10. Frank Gardner Hall of Boston
11. Francis R. Bangs of Boston
12. Ida E. Hibbard of Boston
13. Henry F. Beal of Waltham
14. Harry H. Williams of Brockton
15. Charles C. Cain, Jr. of Taunton
16. Malvina L. Keith of Bourne

**DAVIS and BRYAN — Democratic**

AT LARGE
- William A. Gaston of Boston
- John F. Fitzgerald of Boston

BY DISTRICTS
1. Joseph B. Ely of Westfield
2. Anne O'Keefe Heffernan of Northampton
3. Marcus A. Coolidge of Fitchburg
4. Peter F. Sullivan of Worcester
5. Humphrey O'Sullivan of Lowell
6. Charles I. Pettingell of Amesbury
7. Genevieve E. McGlue of Lynn
8. Edward W. Quinn of Cambridge
9. John J. Murphy of Somerville
10. Charles H. Cole of Boston
11. Andrew J. Peters of Boston
12. James A. Gallivan of Boston
13. Arthur Lyman of Waltham
14. Charles F. Riordan of Sharon
15. Edmond P. Talbot of Fall River
16. Hannah Ashley of New Bedford

**FOSTER and GITLOW — Workers Party**

AT LARGE
- George Kraska of Winthrop
- Michael M. Plepys of Boston

BY DISTRICTS
1. Robert Zelms of Boston
2. Charles Hedrich of Boston
3. Hyman Levine of Brockton
4. William Marttila of Worcester
5. Lewis Marks of Boston
6. Onni Saari of Norwood
7. Louis F. Weiss, Sr. of Worcester
8. John Louko of Norwood
9. Wirna Sointu of Walpole
10. Samuel D. Levine of Boston
11. Eva Hoffman of Boston
12. Israel I. Hurwitz of Boston
13. Sarah R. Ballam of Boston
14. Emma P. Hutchins of Boston
15. E. J. Sinisalo of Fitchburg
16. William Janhonen of Gardner

**JOHNS and REYNOLDS — Socialist Labor Party**

AT LARGE
- Henry C. Hess of Boston
- Samuel Ferguson of Everett

BY DISTRICTS
1. Herman Koepke of Pittsfield
2. Oskar Kinsalis of Springfield
3. Bernel E. Wheeler of Westminster
4. Joseph Jiskra of Milford
5. John McKinnon of Lowell
6. Thomas Brennan of Salem
7. Lois I. Galber of Lynn
8. Peter O'Rourk of Medford
9. Daniel T. Blessington of Somerville
10. James A. Carmichel of Boston
11. Albert L. Waterman of Boston
12. Morris Becker of Boston
13. Alex Brady of Waltham
14. Patrick H. Loftus of Abington
15. Oden Johnson of Attleboro
16. James Hayes of Plymouth

**LA FOLLETTE and WHEELER — Independent-Progressive**

AT LARGE
- Alice Stone Blackwell of Boston
- George H. Wrenn of Springfield

BY DISTRICTS
1. Albert Sprague Coolidge of Pittsfield
2. Walter J. Kenefick of Springfield
3. Adelbert L. Leeman of Townsend
4. Daniel R. Donovan of Worcester
5. Maude Wheeler Mitchell of Hudson
6. Parkman B. Flanders of Haverhill
7. Michael S. Keenan of Lynn
8. Elizabeth R. Day of Cambridge
9. Clarence R. Skinner of Medford
10. Thomas A. Niland of Boston
11. Thomas M. Nolan of Boston
12. Joseph P. Tynan of Boston
13. Florence H. Luscomb of Boston
14. Robert H. O. Schulz of Dedham
15. George Clark of Taunton
16. Abraham Binns of New Bedford

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| Office | Names of Candidates | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| GOVERNOR | ~~Vote for ONE~~ | | | | | | | |
| | JOHN J. BALLAM of BOSTON — WORKERS PARTY | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 9 |
| | JAMES M. CURLEY of BOSTON — DEMOCRATIC | 78 | 285 | 29 | 91 | 10 | 41 | 534 |
| | ALVAN T. FULLER of MALDEN — REPUBLICAN | 686 | 436 | 84 | 109 | 92 | 190 | 1597 |
| | JAMES HAYES of PLYMOUTH — SOCIALIST LABOR PARTY | 4 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 11 |
| | WALTER S. HUTCHINS of GREENFIELD — SOCIALIST PARTY | 1 | 1 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 15 |
| | Blanks | 47 | 48 | 4 | 10 | 2 | 19 | 130 |
| Lieut. Governor | Frank G. Allen – Rep. | 669 | 433 | 80 | 99 | 88 | 188 | 1557 |
| | John J. Cummings – Dem. | 58 | 219 | 20 | 82 | 9 | 36 | 424 |
| | Arthur A. Cunning – Soc. L. P. | 1 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 12 |
| | Thomas Nicholson – Soc. P. | 2 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 18 |
| | Edward Rand Stevens – W. P. | 5 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11 |
| | Blanks | 82 | 115 | 17 | 27 | 7 | 26 | 274 |
| Secretary | Frederick W. Cook – Rep. | 630 | 409 | 89 | 100 | 94 | 182 | 1504 |
| | Winfield A. Dwyer – W. P. | 10 | 14 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 33 |
| | Samuel Leger – Soc. L. P. | 1 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 13 |
| | H. Oscar Rocheleau – Dem. | 54 | 180 | 12 | 68 | 9 | 24 | 347 |
| | Edith Williams – Soc. P. | 4 | 6 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 23 |
| | Blanks | 118 | 165 | 15 | ~~38~~ 39 | 11 | ~~38~~ | ~~385~~ 386 |
| Treasurer | Michael L. Eisner – Dem | 51 | 190 | 14 | 66 | 7 | 28 | 356 |
| | Patrick H. Loftus – Soc. L. P. | 2 | 13 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 19 |
| | Louis Marcus – Soc. P. | 2 | 4 | 9 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 22 |
| | Albert Oddie – W. P. | 6 | 8 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 20 |
| | William S. Youngman – Rep | 626 | 405 | 82 | 97 | 84 | 177 | 1471 |
| | Blanks | 130 | 159 | 21 | 44 | 12 | 42 | 408 |
| Auditor | Strabo Y. Claggett – Dem. | 198 | 235 | 29 | 90 | 23 | 52 | 627 |
| | Alonzo B. Cook – Rep. | 472 | 351 | 66 | 78 | 67 | 149 | 1183 |
| | Isidore Harris – S. L. P. | 2 | 7 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 18 |
| | James J. Lacey – W. P. | 3 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 22 |
| | Dennis F. Reagan – Soc. P. | 2 | 4 | 8 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 23 |
| | Blanks | 140 | 171 | 22 | 35 | 14 | 43 | 425 |
| Senator in Congress | Frederick H. Gillett – Rep. | 613 | 364 | 70 | 89 | 81 | 171 | 1388 |
| | Antoinette F. Konikow – W. P. | 2 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 14 |
| | David I. Walsh – Dem | 114 | 334 | 37 | 102 | 15 | 49 | 651 |
| | Blanks | 88 | 75 | 16 | 20 | 10 | 34 | 243 |

| Office | Names of Candidates | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Attorney General | Jay R. Benton — Rep | 616 | 407 | 79 | 95 | 80 | 174 | 1451 |
| | Harry J. Canter — W.P. | 3 | 14 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 25 |
| | Frederick Oelcher — S.L.P. | 2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 10 |
| | John Weaver Sherman — Soc.P. | 15 | 3 | 9 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 34 |
| | John E. Swift — Dem | 44 | 178 | 15 | 69 | 9 | 28 | 343 |
| | Blanks | 137 | 175 | 21 | 40 | 16 | 44 | ~~435~~ 433 |
| Congressman 5th Dist. | Humphrey O'Sullivan — Dem | 67 | 221 | 14 | 80 | 11 | 32 | 425 |
| | John Jacob Rogers — Rep. | 694 | 496 | 92 | 115 | 90 | 204 | 1691 |
| | Blanks | 56 | 62 | 20 | 18 | 5 | 19 | 180 |
| Councillor 6th Dist. | Bernard J. Golden — Dem | 62 | 199 | 18 | 72 | 8 | 33 | 392 |
| | Charles S. Smith — Rep | 594 | 382 | 69 | 92 | 78 | 164 | 1379 |
| | Blanks | 161 | 198 | 39 | 49 | 20 | 58 | 525 |
| Senator 8th Middlesex Dist. | Walter Perham — Rep. | 638 | 457 | 84 | 129 | 83 | 186 | 1577 |
| | Henry J. Draper — Dem. | 42 | 56 | 1 | 19 | 4 | 20 | 142 |
| | Blanks | 137 | 266 | 41 | 65 | 19 | 49 | 577 |
| Rep. in Gen. Court 11 Midd. Dist. | Langdon Prouty — Rep. | 595 | 371 | 77 | 100 | 79 | 165 | 1387 |
| | Blanks | 222 | 408 | 49 | 113 | 27 | 90 | ~~909~~ 909 |
| Co. Commissioners Middlesex Co. | Alfred L. Cutting — Rep | 521 | 365 | 69 | 77 | 71 | 157 | 1260 |
| | Walter C. Wardwell — Rep. | 537 | 362 | 66 | 77 | 67 | 155 | 1264 |
| | Blanks | 576 | 831 | 117 | 59 | 74 | 198 | 1855 |
| Reg. of Probate & Ins. Middlesex Co | John J. Butler — Dem. | 65 | 193 | 20 | 70 | 11 | 33 | 392 |
| | Charles N. Harris — Rep. | 592 | 372 | 68 | 94 | 78 | 166 | 1370 |
| | Blanks | 160 | 214 | 38 | 49 | 17 | 56 | 534 |
| County Treas Middlesex | Charles E. Hatfield — Rep. | 612 | 391 | 76 | 97 | 81 | 173 | 1424 |
| | Daniel F. McBride — Dem | 61 | 195 | 19 | 69 | 10 | 30 | 384 |
| | Blanks | 144 | 193 | 37 | 47 | 15 | 52 | 488 |

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Referendum

| | | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **REFERENDUM QUESTION NO. 1—Amendment to Constitution** Shall an amendment to the constitution relative to the qualifications of voters for certain state officers (striking out the word "male"), **which received in a joint session of the two Houses held May 24, 1921, 258 votes in the affirmative and none in the negative, and at a joint session of the two Houses held May 10, 1923, received 254 votes in the affirmative and none in the negative,** be approved? | Yes | 400 | 230 | 57 | 67 | 57 | 120 | 931 |
| | No | 111 | 120 | 20 | 40 | 15 | 42 | 348 |
| | Blanks | 306 | 429 | 49 | 106 | 34 | 93 | 1017 |
| **REFERENDUM QUESTION NO. 2—Amendment to Constitution** Shall an amendment to the constitution to enable women to hold any state, county or municipal office, and which further provides that a change of name of any woman, holding a Notary Public Commission, shall not render her commission void but she shall re-register under her new name and shall pay such fee therefor as shall be established by the general court, **which received in a joint session of the two Houses held May 24, 1921, 216 votes in the affirmative and none in the negative, and at a joint session of the two Houses held May 10, 1923, received 258 votes in the affirmative and none in the negative,** be approved? | Yes | 401 | 242 | 56 | 73 | 58 | 126 | 956 |
| | No | 113 | 130 | 17 | 47 | 14 | 44 | 365 |
| | Blanks | 303 | 407 | 53 | 93 | 34 | 85 | 975 |
| **REFERENDUM QUESTION NO. 3** Shall a law (Chapter 370 of the Acts of 1923) which provides that no person shall manufacture, transport by aircraft, watercraft or vehicles, import or export spirituous or intoxicating liquor, as defined by section 3 of chapter 138 of the General Laws, or certain non-intoxicating beverages, as defined by section 1 of said chapter 138, unless in each instance he shall have obtained the permit or other authority required therefor by the laws of the United States and the regulations made thereunder, **which law was approved by both branches of the General Court by votes not recorded,** and was approved by His Excellency the Governor, be approved? | Yes | 441 | 249 | 55 | 63 | 53 | 120 | 981 |
| | No | 177 | 235 | 37 | 80 | 20 | 79 | 628 |
| | Blanks | 199 | 295 | 44 | 70 | 23 | 56 | 687 |
| **REFERENDUM QUESTION NO. 4** Shall a law (Chapter 454 of the Acts of 1923) which provides for the raising of funds toward the cost of the construction and maintenance of highways by means of an excise tax of two cents on each gallon of gasoline and other fuel used for propelling motor vehicles on the highways of the Commonwealth, said tax to be paid by the purchaser to the distributor, who, in turn, pays it to the Commonwealth, and the money to be credited to a fund to be known as the gasoline-highway fund, out of which reimbursement is to be made to purchasers, who shall consume the gasoline or other fuel in any manner except in the operation of motor vehicles on the highways, and the expenses of carrying out the act are to be paid, fifty per cent of the balance of said fund to be distributed to the cities and towns of the Commonwealth, in proportion to the amounts which they contribute to the State tax, and this fifty per cent to be expended in construction or improvement of public ways within the city or town limits, and the other fifty per cent to be expended by the State Department of Public Works on such highways as it may select, **which law was approved by both branches of the General Court by votes not recorded,** and was approved by His Excellency the Governor, be approved? | Yes | 217 | 145 | 23 | 40 | 27 | 66 | 518 |
| | No | 355 | 307 | 59 | 86 | 58 | 120 | 985 |
| | Blanks | 245 | 327 | 44 | 87 | 21 | 69 | 793 |
| **REFERENDUM QUESTION NO. 5** Shall a law (Chapter 473 of the Acts of 1923) which amends existing legislation on the same subject and provides that, subject to certain limitations, no person shall engage or be financially interested in the business of receiving deposits of money for safe keeping or for the purpose of transmitting the same or equivalents thereof to foreign countries unless he has executed and delivered a bond to the State Treasurer, or deposited securities in lieu thereof, and has received a license from the Commissioner of Banks authorizing him to carry on such business; that any money which in case of breach of bond shall be paid by the licensee or surety thereon, or the securities deposited in lieu thereof, shall constitute a trust fund for the benefit of depositors; that the license shall be revocable by the Commissioner of Banks for cause shown; that the money deposited with licensees for safe keeping shall be invested in the manner prescribed by the act; and that the violation of any provision of the act shall be punished in the manner therein prescribed, **which law was approved by both branches of the General Court by votes not recorded,** and was approved by His Excellency the Governor, be approved? | Yes | 337 | 180 | 48 | 60 | 41 | 113 | 779 |
| | No | 99 | 95 | 9 | 23 | 18 | 32 | 276 |
| | Blanks | 381 | 504 | 69 | 130 | 47 | 110 | 1241 |
| "Referendum Question #6 "Shall daylight saving be obtained by law in Massachusetts"? | yes | 328 | 325 | 52 | 92 | 29 | 113 | 939 |
| | No | 321 | 228 | 47 | 72 | 66 | 86 | 820 |
| | Blanks | 168 | 226 | 27 | 69 | 11 | 56 | 557 |
| **REFERENDUM QUESTION NO. 7** Is it desirable that the general court ratify the following proposed amendment to the constitution of the United States:—"*Section 1.* The Congress shall have power to limit, regulate, and prohibit the labor of persons under eighteen years of age. *Section 2.* The power of the several States is unimpaired by this article except that the operation of State laws shall be suspended to the extent necessary to give effect to legislation enacted by the Congress."? | Yes | 152 | 125 | 34 | 39 | 22 | 96 | 468 |
| | No | 483 | 456 | 67 | 129 | 69 | 113 | 1317 |
| | Blanks | 182 | 198 | 25 | 45 | 15 | 46 | 511 |
| Total vote Cast | | 817 | 779 | 126 | 213 | 106 | 255 | 2299 |

Attested by
Harold Pettigrew
Town Clerk

1924

In accordance with Section 125 Chapter 54 of the General Laws of Massachusetts, a legal meeting of the Town Clerks in the Eleventh Middlesex Representative District was held on November 14 1924 at 2 o'clock P. M. at the Town Clerk's office, Chelmsford, Mass. for the purpose of declaring the elected Representative in the General Court at the State election held November 4 1924. the result was as follows:

| Candidate | Acton | Bedford | Carlisle | Chelmsford | Littleton | Tyngsborough | Westford | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Langdon Prouty of Littleton | 707 | 377 | 130 | 1387 | 470 | 276 | 569 | 3916 |
| Scattering | — | 2 | — | — | 1 | — | 1 | 4 |
| Blanks | 252 | 240 | 54 | 909 | 51 | 56 | 397 | 1959 |
| Whole number of ballots | 959 | 619 | 184 | 2296 | 522 | 332 | 967 | 5879 |

Grace F. Tuttle, Town Clerk, Acton
Abbott R. Webber, " " Bedford
Jennie M. Foss " " Carlisle
Harold C. Pettison " " Chelmsford
Eliot M. Young " " Littleton
George R. Robeson " " Tyngsborough
Charles L. Hildreth " " Westford

Recorded by

Harold C. Pettison

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

February 2 1925 and February 9 1925

Middlesex ss.

To Fred J. Vinal, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford.

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in their several Polling Places, viz:

Precinct 1, Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre
Precinct 2, Town Hall, North Chelmsford
Precinct 3, Historical Hall, West Chelmsford
Precinct 4, School House, East Chelmsford
Precinct 5, School House, South Chelmsford
Precinct 6, Golden Cove School House, Westlands

On Monday, the second day of February 1925 being the first Monday in said month, at 12 o'clock noon, for the following purposes;

To bring in their votes for the following officers

Moderator for one year
One Selectman for three years
One Overseer of the Poor for three years
One Assessor for three years
Town Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for one year
One Member of the Board of Health for three years

One Constable for one year
One School Committeeman for three years
Two Trustees for Adams Library for three years
One Warden for one year
One Insurance Fund Commissioner for three years
One Cemetery Commissioner for three years
One Park Commissioner for three years
all on one ballot, and to vote on the following question:
"Shall license be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this town"?

The polls will be open from 12 m to 8 P.M. and to meet in the Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre on the following
Monday, the Ninth day of February, 1925
at 9.30 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Article 1- To hear reports of Town officers and Committees, or act in relation thereto

Article 2- To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray Town charges for the current year.

Article 3- To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year, also in such other matters as may arise requiring in their judgement the action of such agent, and to employ Counsel therefor.

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Article 4 – To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the Revenue of the current financial year.

Article 5 – To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer a sum not exceeding Five thousand Seventy five and 80/100 Dollars ($5075.80) with which to pay unpaid bills of 1919 to 1924 inclusive; or act in relation thereto.

Article 6 – To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation to install new eighty candle power hydrogen gas-filled lamps in place of the present forty candle power lamps at an increased price of one dollar per light per year, and raise and appropriate a sufficient sum to meet the expense thereof; or act in relation thereto.

Article 7 – To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation at the then prevailing price per light for the following additional lights, and will raise and appropriate sufficient money to meet the expense thereof, viz:

Ten lights on Richardson Road
One light on Newfield Street midway between Manson and Adams Streets
Two lights on Sherman Street
One light at Corner of Glenn Ave and Chelmsford Street;

Five lights on Maple Road
Six lights on Chestnut Hill Road
Five lights on Pine Hill Road
Twelve lights on Elm Road
Three lights on Old Westford Road
Three lights on Sprague Ave
Two lights on Steadman Street
Four lights on Haltom Road
One light on Westford St. near Haltom Road
Three lights on Moore Street
Five lights on Smith Street
Two lights on Park Road
Ten lights on Old Westford Road
Nine lights on Westford Road
Four lights on Hunt Road
One light on Harvard Street;
or act in relation thereto.

Article 8 To see if the Town will vote to raise or borrow the sum of Twelve Thousand Dollars ($12,000) or what other sum, for the purpose of continuing construction of the Boston Road and the Acton Road and of repairing the Riverneck Road, the Carlisle Road and the Billerica Road, two thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the Commonwealth and the County of Middlesex: or act in relation thereto.

Article 9- To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to purchase two new trucks for the Highway Department and to turn in two old trucks belonging to the Town as part payment therefor and will raise and appropriate or borrow the sum of Seven thousand three hundred Dollars ($7300.00) or what other sum, to be used to pay the balance of the purchase price

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for such new trucks; or act in relation thereto.

Article 10- To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One hundred dollars with which to reimburse James P. Gordon Special Constable of the Town, for expenses incurred in defending himself in two actions brought against him one by Joseph Robitaille and the other by Delima Lovesque, in connection with an automobile accident at North Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto

Article 11- To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint two regular police officers for duty in the Town; or act in relation thereto

Article 12- In case of affirmative action under the preceding article, to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Dollars ($3000.00) or what other sum with which to pay the salaries of such police officers; or act in relation thereto.

Article 13- To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Hundred and Ten Dollars ($610.00) or what other sum, with which to purchase two motorcycles for use of the Police Department or act in relation thereto.

Article 14 – To hear and act upon the report of the Special Committee appointed under Article 8 of the warrant for a special Town Meeting held on Monday, May 19 1924, for the purpose among other things of obtaining tentative plans and specifications for a new grammar school building at the Centre Village, and also for remodelling the present school building at the Centre Village, and to report the cost of a new school building and a suitable site therefor and the estimated cost of remodelling the present school building and procuring additional adjoining land for playground purposes; or act in relation thereto.

Article 15 – In the event of affirmative action under the preceding article, to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or borrow a sufficient sum with which to build and equip, or remodel and equip, as the case may be, a grammar school at the Centre Village, and purchase a site or additional land, as the case may be, therefor; or act in relation thereto.

Article 16 – In event of affirmative action under Article 13, to see if the Town will appoint a Committee for the purpose of building or remodelling a grammar school at the Centre Village, as the case may be, and procuring the land for a site for such new building, or additional land in connection with the present school building, and additional equipment; or act in relation thereto

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Article 17- To hear and act upon the report of the Committee appointed under Article 36 of the Warrant for the Annual Meeting of the year 1924 to investigate and report their recommendations as to the purchase of land for additional fire house site; or act in relation thereto.

Article 18- In the event of affirmative action as to the purchase of land under the preceding Article, to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or borrow a sufficient sum of money with which to purchase such land for a fire house site; or act in relation thereto

Article 19- In the event of affirmative action as to the purchase of land under Article 16, to see if the Town will appoint a Committee to purchase such land and see that the Town obtains a proper title to the same; or act in relation thereto

Article 20- In the event that the Town shall vote under Article 13 to build a new grammar school house at the Centre Village, to see if the Town will vote that the present grammar school building at the Centre Village shall be used for a fire house and placed at the disposal of the Fire Department or act in relation thereto.

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Article 21 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred Dollars ($700.00) for the purpose of grading the Park, so called, at the Westlands acquired by gift from Walter Burham and through seizure by eminent domain; or act in relation thereto

Article 22 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty Dollars ($50.00) or what other sum with which to meet the expense of placing a suitable tablet on the George R. Livesey School at West Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto

Article 23 – To see if the Town will vote to elect annually by official ballot "A Town Counsel" the said Town Counsel to be a registered voter in the Town of Chelmsford and a member of the Massachusetts Bar; or act in relation thereto.

Article 24 – To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to investigate the matter of insuring all Town buildings such committee to report at any special meeting held after July 1 1925; or act in relation thereto

Article 25 – To see if the Town will vote to increase its Insurance Fund and that the Treasurer of such fund shall be placed under bonds at the expense of the Town; or act in relation thereto.

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Article 26— To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum with which to meet its proportionate part of the expense for Counsel and otherwise of being represented at the hearings now pending before the Board of Public Utilities relative to increase of telephone rates; or act in relation thereto

Article 27— To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell at such price as they may think for the best interests of the Town, and in the name and behalf of the Town convey a certain lot of land situated in the northerly part of Chelmsford on the Groton Road, commonly known as the sand bank; or act in relation thereto

Article 28— To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred ~~and~~ Five Dollars or what other sum with which to purchase for the Highway Department two additional beacons; or act in relation thereto.

Article 29— To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($750.00 or what other sum, for the following purpose: To construct a retaining wall at the Princeton Street School playgrounds at the North Village as follows: Beginning at the Southerly end of the present wall on Gay Street and continuing the said wall in the same Southerly direction for a distance of about sixty-nine feet; thence in a

westerly direction about sixty five feet; and also to grade the said school playgrounds; or act in relation thereto

Article 30— To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, or what other sum with which to gravel Brick Kiln Road; or act in relation thereto.

Article 31— To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, or what other sum, with which to repair Evergreen Street; or act in relation thereto

Article 32— To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or borrow the sum of three Thousand Dollars ($3000.00) or what other sum for the purpose of grading the grounds at the East Chelmsford Grammar School, furnishing the same with suitable Cement walks and other Cement work, and enclosing the lot with a fence; or act in relation thereto.

Article 33— To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate any, and if any, what sum of money to cover the expense of cutting the brush on the Richardson Road, North Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto

Article 34— To see if the Town will accept and allow Coolidge Street as laid out by the Selectmen of Jan 15 1925 and shown in their report duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto

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Article 35 – To see if the Town will accept and allow Harding street as laid out by the Selectmen on Jan. 15 1925 and shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article 36 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars ($1500.00) or what other sum, for the purpose of improving and extending the fire alarm system and equipment of the Town; or act in relation thereto.

Article 37 – To see if the Town will vote to purchase an additional Chemical Truck for the Fire Dept to be located at East Acton, and will authorize the Board of Fire Engineers to turn in the present Chemical truck belonging to the Town now located there, and will raise and appropriate or borrow the sum of Thirty Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($3250.00) or what other sum, with which to pay the balance of the purchase price for such new truck, or act in relation thereto

Article 38 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Dollars ($400.00) or some other sum and elect a director, the money to be expended by and the director to serve in cooperation with the Middlesex County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture in the Work of the Middlesex County Extension Service, under the provisions of Sections 40 to 44, Chapter 128, General Laws of

Massachusetts; or act in relation thereto.

Article 39 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three hundred and Twenty Dollars ($320.00) or what other sum, for the purpose of repairing, grading, and oiling Holt Street, and the sum of One Hundred Thirty Dollars ($130.00) or what other sum for the purpose of repairing, grading, and oiling Worlington Street from Ripley Street to Holt Street; or act in relation thereto

Article 40 – To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to report at the next annual meeting relative to the Town Forest Act so called, as provided in Acts of 1913, Chapter 564, Entitled "An Act relative to Public Domain"; or act in relation thereto.

Article 41 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred and Seventy Five Dollars ($575.00) for State Aid; or act in relation thereto.

Article 42 – To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer a sum not exceeding Two Thousand Dollars ($2000.00) to be used as a reserve fund at the discretion of the Finance Committee, as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 6, or act in relation thereto

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And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Office in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford and West Chelmsford, and at the School House East Chelmsford, and at the Golden Cove School House, Westlands, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding the first meeting aforesaid.

William E. Belleville
George Rigby
George W. Day
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing Warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than Seven days before the time of said meeting, as directed by vote of the Town

Fred I. Vinal
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

# Election of Officers

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, qualified to vote in Town Elections, held at the six precincts in the Town of Chelmsford on February 2 1925 pursuant to Warrant the following persons received the number of votes set against their respective names for Town Officers.

| Office | Candidate | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Moderator | Walter Perham Elected | 520 | 404 | 86 | 116 | 59 | 185 | 1370 |
| | Blanks | 101 | 276 | 35 | 70 | 10 | 45 | 537 |
| Selectman | Robert W. Barris Elected | 384 | 233 | 70 | 84 | 46 | 64 | 881 |
| | Eliphalet G. Brown | 105 | 318 | 28 | 78 | 10 | 81 | 620 |
| | Frank A. P. Coburn | 117 | 51 | 16 | 2 | 12 | 84 | 282 |
| | John R. Wiggins | 2 | 33 | 0 | 16 | 1 | 0 | 52 |
| | Blanks | 13 | 45 | 7 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 72 |
| Overseers of the Poor | Robert W. Barris Elected | 354 | 219 | 62 | 73 | 43 | 62 | 813 |
| | Eliphalet G. Brown | 103 | 284 | 27 | 78 | 12 | 78 | 582 |
| | Frank A. P. Coburn | 122 | 57 | 18 | 5 | 12 | 80 | 294 |
| | John R. Wiggins | 3 | 34 | 0 | 19 | 1 | 2 | 59 |
| | Blanks | 39 | 86 | 14 | 11 | 1 | 8 | 159 |
| Board of Health | Abbott L. Emery | 192 | 377 | 57 | 21 | 28 | 111 | 786 |
| | George A. McNulty Elected | 326 | 231 | 42 | 114 | 33 | 89 | 835 |
| | Joseph G Finnegan | 1 | 1 | 0 | 41 | 0 | 0 | 43 |
| | Blanks | 102 | 71 | 22 | 10 | 8 | 30 | 243 |
| Town Treas. + Coll. Taxes | Ervin W. Sweetser Elected | 535 | 484 | 94 | 135 | 65 | 198 | 1511 |
| | Blanks | 86 | 196 | 27 | 51 | 4 | 32 | 396 |
| Assessor | Herbert W. Sweetser Elected | 533 | 457 | 91 | 131 | 66 | 196 | 1474 |
| | Blanks | 88 | 223 | 30 | 55 | 3 | 34 | 433 |
| Constable | Donald F. Adams Elected | 527 | 212 | 80 | 81 | 57 | 169 | 1126 |
| | Fred I. Vinal | 84 | 454 | 38 | 96 | 12 | 54 | 738 |
| | Blanks | 10 | 14 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 7 | 43 |

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| Office | Candidate | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Tota |
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| School Committee | Willis L. MacComb Elected | 353 | 335 | 85 | 60 | 33 | 117 | 983 |
| | Nellie R. Picken | 226 | 329 | 31 | 105 | 34 | 93 | 818 |
| | Blanks | 42 | 16 | 5 | 21 | 2 | 20 | 106 |
| Trustees for Adams Library | Luella H. S. Clark Elected | 489 | 244 | 46 | 87 | 56 | 155 | 1077 |
| | Lottie L. Snow Elected | 359 | 390 | 103 | 83 | 46 | 125 | 1106 |
| | Blanks | 399 | 726 | 93 | 16 | 36 | 180 | 1450 |
| Tree Warden | William Shanks Elected | 16 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 8 | 36 |
| | Blanks | 605 | 670 | 121 | 186 | 67 | 222 | 1871 |
| Cemetery Commissioners | Ralph P. Adams Elected | 547 | 364 | 76 | 105 | 63 | 180 | 1335 |
| | Blanks | 74 | 316 | 45 | 81 | 6 | 50 | 572 |
| Insurance Fund Commissioner | Walter Perham Elected | 498 | 383 | 80 | 107 | 60 | 173 | 1301 |
| | Blanks | 123 | 297 | 41 | 79 | 9 | 57 | 606 |
| Park Commissioner | Walter Merrill Elected | 512 | 379 | 72 | 108 | 64 | 172 | 1307 |
| | Blanks | 109 | 301 | 49 | 78 | 5 | 58 | 600 |
| "Shall License Be Granted for the Sale of Certain Non-Intoxicating Liquors in this Town?" | Yes | 124 | 197 | 24 | 55 | 20 | 53 | 473 |
| | No | 356 | 268 | 55 | 67 | 36 | 114 | 896 |
| | Blanks | 141 | 215 | 42 | 64 | 13 | 63 | 538 |
| Total Vote Cast By Precincts | | 621 | 680 | 121 | 186 | 69 | 230 | 190 |

Harold C. Pettison
Town Clerk

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| Office | Officer Elected | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Moderator | Walter Perham | March 21 1925 | H C Pettiven Town Clerk |
| Selectman | Robert W. Barris | Feb 9 1925 | H. C. Pettiven Town Clerk |
| ..of. Poor | Robert W. Barris | Feb 9 1925 | H C Pettiven Town Clerk |
| ..p. of Health | George A. McNulty | Feb 9 1925 | H C Pettiven " " |
| T.T. + Coll. Taxes | Ervin W. Sweetser | Feb 11 1925 | H. C Pettiven Town Clerk |
| Assessor | Herbert C. Sweetser | Feb 6 1925 | H. C. Pettiven Town Clerk |
| Constable | Donald F. Adams | Feb 10 1925 | H. C. Pettiven " " |
| School Committee | Willis L. MacComb | Feb 11 1925 | H C Pettiven " " |
| Trustee for | Luella H. S. Clark | March 10 1925 | " " " " " |
| Adams Library | Lottie L. Snow | March 10 1925 | H C Pettiven Town Clerk |
| Tree Warden | William Shanks | Feb 10 1925 | H C. Pettiven Town Clerk |
| Cm. Com. | Ralph P. Adams | March 10 1925 | " " " " " |
| Ts. F. Com. | Walter Perham | March 21 1925 | " " " " " |
| Park Com. | Walter Merrill | March 4 1925 | H C Pettiven Town Clerk |

Harold C Pettiven
Town Clerk

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Business Meeting
February 9 1925

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant at Upper Town Hall, Center Village Monday Feb. 9 1925 at 9.30 A.M. the following business was transacted, To Wit: The meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Perham and upon a motion made by George W. Hay the reading of the Warrant was waived.

Under Article #1. To hear the reports of Town Officers and Committees

A Motion was made by Mr Karl Perham that the various Committees report under Articles pertaining to the subject of their report, and it was so voted.

On a motion made by Mr. George Peterson that when ever two or more sums of money were mentioned in any one motion or motions that the smaller sum be acted on first, and it was so voted

The Committee appointed to build an addition to the East Chelmsford School House, at a meeting held July 2 1923 made the following report:
The Building Committee appointed at a Special Town meeting held July 2 1923 to build and equip two additional rooms to the East Chelmsford School House have completed this work, the new addition to the school house was built during the past summer recess, and was ready for the

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opening of the school in September 1924 $30,000.00/100 was appropriated for this purpose of this amount your Committee has expended $29,980.97 leaving a balance of $19.03. If you turn to page 73 in the Town report it states that $30,200.00/100 was appropriated which included the $200.00/100 appropriated for tentative plans. To complete the work your Committee recommend that the school ground be graded and a cement walk provided and the lot fenced in.

Birger Pettersen
Frank J. Lupein
James P. Flanigan

It was voted to accept this report and a vote of thanks be given the Committee and that the Committee be discharged

The Committee appointed under Article 34 of the Annual Meeting held on Feb 11 1924 report that a tablet has been erected on Crosby Lane marked "the place of the first Town Meeting" also another tablet has been erected in South Chelmsford marking the Hagwood Garrison House. The report was presented by Rev. William Waters, and it was voted to receive the report and place the same on file.

Capt John J. Moulton reported for the Committee appointed under Article 22 of the Annual Town Meeting held Feb 11 1924 and reported that owing to the fact that the Town of Chelmsford's population was not large enough for the adoption of the Brookline System form of government, therefore under law Chelmsford could not legally adopt this form of government, and it was voted to

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accept this report and that the Committee be discharged.

Mr. John C. Monahan reported for the Committee appointed under Article 16 of the Annual Town Meeting held Feb 11 1924, the report was that the Committee had employed experts to inspect the premises to be heated by a Central heating plant at North Chelmsford and that the cost of the same would be approximately $25000. It was voted to accept this report and discharge this Committee.

Mr William E. Belleville reported for the Selectmen who were appointed under Article 20 of the Annual Meeting held on Feb 11 1924 and that the sum of Five thousand dollars is recommended for Police Work by the Board of Selectmen

Under Article #2 The following sums of money were appropriated to defray Town Charges for the current year;

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|---|---|
| Moderators Salary | $10.00 |
| Selectmen Salaries ($200 for Ch.)($200 for each of others) | 650.00 |
| " Other Expenses | 200.00 |
| Accountant and Town Clerk Salary | 1800.00 |
| " " " " Expenses | 300.00 |
| Town Counsel Salary | 300.00 |
| Appraisers Salaries | 30.00 |
| " Other Expenses | 3.00 |
| Janitors of Public Halls Salaries ($450.00 each) | 900.00 |
| " " " " Other Expenses | 50.00 |
| Fuel, Light & Water for Pub. Halls | 800.00 |
| Repairs on Public Halls | 500.00 |

Voted to lay the Police appropriations on the table

until Articles 11 and 12 are acted upon
Articles 11 + 12 having been acted on it
was voted to appropriate for

| | |
|---|---|
| Police ($3000.00 for Salaries for two regular officers) | 5000.00 |
| North Chelmsford Hydrant Service | 750.00 |
| Chelmsford Center Hydrant Service | 750.00 |
| West Chelmsford Hydrant Service | 20.00 |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | 150.00 |
| Forest Dept | 2857.95 |
| Fire Warden | 200.00 |
| Fish and Game Warden | 100.00 |
| Supt of Streets Salary | 2000.00 |

It was voted to lay Truck Maintenance Appropriation and Special Road Appropriation and Street lighting appropriation on the table until Article 9 is acted upon.
Article 9 having been acted upon it was voted for

| | |
|---|---|
| Truck Maintenance | 1000.00 |
| School Street West Chelmsford | 1000.00 |
| Retaining Wall at Coburn property W. Chelmsford | 500.00 |
| Middlesex Street to City Line | 3000.00 |
| Church Street | 3000.00 |
| Billerica Street | 1000.00 |
| Main Street West Chelmsford | 1000.00 |
| Cutting Brush | 200.00 |
| Street Lighting | 12000.00 |
| General Highway Fund | 27925.00 |
| Overseers of Poor Salaries | 225.00 |
| " " " Other Expense | 15.00 |
| Outside Poor | 8000.00 |
| Almshouse Supt Salary | 900.00 |
| " Repairs | 300.00 |
| " Other Expenses | 2300.00 |
| Registrars of Voters and Election Officers | 450.00 |
| Animal Inspection Salary | 200.00 |
| Soldiers Relief | 600.00 |
| Vocational School (Blue dog tags) | 1600.00 |
| Band Concerts (5 Concerts) | 250.00 |
| Memorial Day | 200.00 |

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|---|---|
| Village Clerk | 30.00 |
| Town Reports | 612.00 |
| Street Signs | 100.00 |
| Town Treas & Collector of Taxes Salary | 1350.00 |
| " " Other Expenses | 325.00 |
| " " Bond | 220.00 |
| Park Dept | 700.00 |
| — Fire Dept — | |
| Salaries | 3200.00 |
| Janitors Salaries | 270.00 |
| Expense of Engineer | 75.00 |
| Labor & Expenses at Fires | 600.00 |
| Rent at Centre | 180.00 |
| " " West | 150.00 |
| Supplies | 175.00 |
| Fuel Lt and Water | 500.00 |
| Maintenance of Trucks | 500.00 |
| Building Repairs | 300.00 |
| Telephones & Alarms | 500.00 |
| New Equipment | 275.00 |
| Forest Warden Dept | 750.00 |
| — Board of Health — | |
| Salaries | 350.00 |
| Transportation | 150.00 |
| Agents | 100.00 |
| " Transportation | 200.00 |
| Aid | 1625.00 |
| Maintenance | 200.00 |
| Meat Inspector | 600.00 |
| Milk Inspector | 350.00 |

Voted to adjourn the meeting at this point from 12 M to 12 50 P. M.

School Department

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| Administration | 3900.00 |

Including, Expense of School Committee
Attendance Officers
School Census
Supt Office
" Salary

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| Instruction | 65,000.00 |
| Including, Salaries of Teachers | |
| Books & Supplies | |
| Operation and Maintenance | 18200.00 |
| Including, Janitor Service | |
| " Supplies | |
| Fuel | |
| Water, Light, and Power | |
| Repairs and Expenses | |
| Auxiliary Agencies | 11300.00 |
| Including, Transportation of Scholars | |
| " " School Nurse | |
| Salary of School Nurse | |
| Supplies " " | |
| Salaries of School Physicians | |
| New Equipment | 1500.00 |

Libraries

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| Adams Library | 2000.00 |
| North Chelmsford Library | 1200.00 |

Cemeteries

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| Salaries of Commissioners | 105.00 |
| Forefathers Cemetery | 700.00 |

Of the appropriation of the above $700.00, $350.00 is to be used for installing water in Forefathers Cemetery, to be expended by the Cemetery Commissioners

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| Hart Pond Cemetery | 400.00 |
| Pine Ridge Cemetery | 500.00 |
| Riverside Cemetery | 400.00 |
| West Chelmsford Cemetery | 300.00 |
| New Cemetery on West North Road | 2500.00 |

Assessors

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| Salaries | 1200.00 |
| Other Expenses | 1250.00 |
| Transportation | 100.00 |

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Article 3 – Voted that the Town authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise requiring in their judgement the action of such agent and to employ counsel therefor.

Under Article 4 – Voted that the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to borrow money with the approval of the Selectmen from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning Jan. 1 1925 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of such financial year.

Under Article 5 – Voted that the Town appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of $4440.76 to pay unpaid bills for the year 1919 to 1924 inclusive

Under Article 6. Voted that the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation to install new eighty candle power hydrogen gas filled lamps in place of the present forty candle power lamps at an increased price of one dollar per light per year, and raise and appropriate a sufficient sum to meet the expense thereof.

Article 7 – Voted to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Sowell Electric Light Corporation at the then prevailing price per light for the following additional lights and raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to meet the expense thereof, viz:
Ten lights on Richardson Road
One light on Newfield Street midway between Monson and Adams Streets.
Two lights on Sherman Street
One light at corner of Glenn Avenue and Chelmsford St.
Five lights on Moffle Road
Six lights on Chestnut Hill Road
Five lights on Pine Hill Road
Twelve lights on Elm Road
Three lights on Old Westford Road
Three lights on Sprague Ave
Two lights on Stedman Street
Four lights on Halton Road
One light on Westford Street near Halton Road
Three lights on Moore Street
Five lights on Smith Street
Two lights on Park Road
Ten lights on Old Westford Road
Nine lights on Westford Road
Four lights on Hunt Road
One light on Harvard Street

Article 8 – Voted to dismiss this Article

Article 9 – Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $2856.00 and that the Town Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to borrow a sum of money not exceeding $4444.00 at a rate of interest not exceeding 6% per annum payable semi-annually and to issue therefor four

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promissory notes each in the same principal sum, payable at the expiration of one, two, three and four years from date thereof, each note to be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by a majority of the Board of Selectmen and that the proceeds be used to purchase two new trucks for the use of the Highway Department and that the Selectmen are authorized to turn in two old trucks belonging to the Town as part payment thereof. 273 voted yes 3 votes no

Under Article 10 – Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 to reimburse James R. Gorkin for expenses incurred in defending himself in two actions brought against him, one by Joseph Rofitaille and the other by Melina Lovesque, in connection with an automobile accident at North Chelmsford.

Under Article 11 – Voted to instruct the Selectmen to appoint two regular police officers for duty in the Town.

Under Article 12 – Voted that the sum of $3000.00 be expended from the appropriation of $5000.00 made under the budget for Police for salaries of two regular officers

Under Article 13 – Voted to dismiss this article.

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Under Article 14 The Committee appointed under Article 8 of the Warrant for a special Town meeting held on Monday May 19 1924 for the purpose among other things of obtaining tentative plans and specifications for a new grammar school building at the Center Village and also for remodelling the present school building at the Center Village and to report the cost of a new school building and a site therefor and the estimated cost of remodelling the present school building and procuring additional land adjoining for playground purposes, made the following report;

The purpose of this Committee appointed for a new grade school at the Center Village was to consider all possibilities of remodeling the old school and in event of adverse report, to choose site, have plans prepared, and come before this meeting with a full description of work performed and with plans, costs, and recommendations as to the new school, this Committee employed the services of an architect and engineer to look over the old school building and to make a report which will be given to you later. The next step this Committee took was to look for a site for a new school building and after looking at several sites decided on a lot on the Lowell Road and Wilson Street, this lot contains about three and one half acres, after the Committee had agreed on this site they ordered the Architect and engineer to draw plans for a twelve room school building including an assembly hall and when the plans were completed they called on several citizens,

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the school Committee, Selectmen and Finance Committee for a conference to consider the plans, after this meeting the Committee met and unanimously accepted the plans To find out the cost of this building was a problem indeed as this Committee could not authorize any contract, the Contractors would not give an accurate bid, nevertheless our Architect and Engineer were able to obtain an estimate from three reputable contractors so as to give this Committee something to work on. This Committee then wished to see if it was possible to get accurate figures and the Architect and Engineer were called in to see if it was possible and at this time we asked to have another set of plans made of a twelve room school building without an assembly hall, which was done. The Committee then instructed the Architect to send out to various Contractors for bids with the understanding that there was nothing certain as to the school being built until after our Annual Town Meeting and a Committee appointed to build the same if it was so voted, This Committee have spent considerable time on this project and have done everything in its power to keep the cost down as you will see after the other members have explained other matters in detail. This portion of the report was submitted by

Charles A. Clough
Chairman

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Mr. Riley then read a report submitted to this Committee in regards to remodelling the present grade school building as proposed by the Architect and Engineer and in part they recommended that the old building be discontinued and a new building be erected.

This report is on file in the office of the Town Clerk

The last part of the report of this Committee was presented by Mr. Varnum stating what the Committee had done and what they recommended for school purposes in the Center Village this report is also on file in the Town Clerks office.

It was voted to accept this report and place the same on file.

Under Article 15. On an original motion made by Mr. C. A. Clough that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $10,000 and that the Town Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to borrow the further sum of $30000 at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent per annum payable semi-anoually, and to issue therefor fifteen promissory notes each in the same principal sum of $2000 payable at the expiration of 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 years from date thereof each note to be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by a majority of the Board of Selectmen, and finally to borrow a balance of $100,000 pursuant to the provisions of a Special act of the legislature entitled, An act authorizing the Town of Chelmsford to borrow Money for School purposes, approved by the Governor Feb 3 1925 and to issue

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therefor fifteen promissory notes each in the same principal sum, payable at the expiration of 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 11, 12, 13, 14, and fifteen years from date thereof, and to bear on the face the words: Chelmsford School Loan. Act of 1925.-- and that the proceeds from the amounts so raised and borrowed, namely, the sum of $140,000 be used for the purpose of acquiring land for a new grammar school building at the Centre Village and constructing such building and equipping, furnishing and also grading the land.

An amendment was made to the original motion, as follows:

That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $10,000 and that the Town Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to borrow the further sum of $30,000 at a rate of interest not exceeding six percent per annum payable semi-annually, and to issue therefor fifteen promissory notes each in the principal sum of $2000 payable at the expiration of 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15 years from date thereof, each note to be signed by the Treasurer and Countersigned by a Majority of the Board of Selectmen, and finally to borrow a balance of $100,000 pursuant to the provisions of a Special Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act authorizing the Town of Chelmsford to Borrow Money for School Purposes", approved by the Governor Feb. 3 1925, and to issue therefor fifteen promissory notes each in the same principal sum, payable at the expiration of 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 years from date thereof, and to bear on the face the words: Chelmsford School Loan,

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Act of 1925, and that the proceeds from the amounts so raised and borrowed, namely the sum of $140,000 be used for the purpose of acquiring land for a new grammar school building, situated on Wilson Street at the Centre Village one lot supposed to be owned by Mrs. M. Elizabeth Avery and another lot supposed to be owned by Mr. George C. Armstrong, the Avery lot to be purchased at the price of $3125 and the Armstrong lot at a price of $1750 or at such other prices within the limitations imposed by statute, as may be approved by the Committee appointed to carry this vote into effect, also to construct such building and equip, furnish and also grade the land of same.
The amendment was carried.
275 voted in the affirmative
1 voted in the negative

Under Article 16 – Voted that the same Committee that was appointed as an investigating Committee namely, Charles A. Clough Thomas Varnum, M. Edward Riney, F. Vincent Kelley and Wm E. Billville be and hereby are appointed a Committee for the purpose of building a new grammar school at the Centre Village and procuring the land for a site for such new building and equipping and furnishing the same pursuant to the vote of the Town just passed under Article 15 of the Warrant for this meeting.

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Under Article 17 - To hear the report and act on the same of the Committee appointed under Article 36 of the Warrant for the Annual Meeting of the year 1924 for the purpose of investigating and to report their recommendations as to the purchase of land for additional fire house sites, This Committee reported as follows: The Committee visited the different villages of the Town and found South Chelmsford and East Chelmsford satisfactory as far as fire house sites are concerned, West Chelmsford should have a suitable site when a suitable location can be found, The department now houses the apparatus in a private building which is satisfactory for the present. It seemed to the Committee that the North Village and the Center Village are in need of immediate attention, the present fire house at the North Village is not located near enough to the Center of the Village for efficient results from a department made up of volunteers, nor its location satisfactory for quick action in protecting the Village, We therefore recommend the purchase of a new site nearer the square

The apparatus at the Center is now housed in a public garage which is very satisfactory but may not be available much longer, We were unable to secure a suitable site in the Center Village and recommend that since the new grammar school is to be built that the present building be used as a fire house, There is an article in this Warrant related to this which will come up later

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this report was present by Perley W Kimball for the Committee who consist of, Perley W Kimball M Edward Ring, and Harold Billson. The report was accepted and the Committee discharged

Under Article 18 – Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $2200 which which to purchase land owned by Walter Morinel on Middlesex Street North Chelmsford to be used for a fire house site Hand vote was taken and 102 voted in the affirmative and 100 voted in the negative.

Under Article 19 – Voted that a Committee consisting of Arnold C. Perham, John E. Horgan and Leon J. Ellinwood be and hereby are appointed to purchase the land under the vote taken under Article 18 of this meeting.

Under Article 20 – Voted to dismiss this Article.

Under Article 21 – Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for the purpose of grading the Park so-called at the Westlands acquired by gift from Walter Perham and through seizure by eminent domain, the work to be done by the Park Dept.

Under Article 22 – Voted that the sum of $50.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of erecting a tablet to mark the memory of George R. Livesey at the George R. Livesey School at West Chelmsford

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Under Article 23 – On a motion made by P.S. Ward that the Town Counsel be elected by Official ballot and that the same be a registered voter in the Town of Chelmsford also a member of the Mass. bar Mr. Audoin offered an amendment to Mr. Wards motion that the Selectmen be instructed to appoint a Town Counsel the same to be a registered voter in the Town of Chelmsford and a member of the Mass. bar, Town Clerk Patterson offered an amendment to the amendment that the Selectmen be instructed to appoint a Town Counsel the same to be a registered voter in the Town of Chelmsford a member of the Mass. bar and must have at least five years ~~experience~~ in the practice of law. After considerable discussion the amendment to the amendment was carried. Stand vote was taken
110 voted in the negative
107 voted in the affirmative

Under Article 24 – Voted that the Town appoint a Committee to investigate the matter of insuring all Town Buildings such Committee to report at any special meeting after July 1 1925 and that the Moderator appoint such Committee, the Moderator appointed the following named as this Committee J. Clark Osterhout Thomas A Varnum and Willis L. MacCount.

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Under Article 25 – Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $3500 as an Insurance Sinking Fund and an additional sum of $50 for a bond for the Treasurer of the Insurance Fund Commission

Under Article 26 – Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $300 with which to meet its proportionate part of the expense for counsel and otherwise of being represented at the hearings now pending before the Board of Public Utilities relative to the increase of Telephone rates, such money to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen

Under Article 27 – On a motion made by Selectman Rigby that the Town authorize the Selectmen to sell the Sand bank so-called on the North side of the Groton Road in North Chelmsford for $500, Mr Bellville offered an amendment to the motion that the Town authorize the Selectmen and that the Selectmen are hereby authorized to sell at such price as they may think for the best interests of the Town and in the name and behalf of the Town convey a certain lot of land situated in the northerly part of Chelmsford on the Groton Road commonly known as the sand bank Mr Rigby withdrew his motion and Mr Bellville's motion carried

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Under Article 28 – Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred and Five ($405) dollars with which to purchase two additional beacons as part of the equipment of the Highway Department

Under Article 29 Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $750.00 for the following purpose, to construct a retaining wall at the Princeton Street School playground at the North Village as follows, beginning at the southerly end of the present wall on Gay Street and continuing for a distance of about 69 feet thence westerly for a distance of about 55 feet, and also grade the said school playground, the work to be done by the Supt. of Streets under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen and the School Committee.

Under Article 30 – Voted to dismiss this Article

Under Article 31 – Voted to dismiss this Article

Under Article 32 – Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $2500.00 for the purpose of grading the ground at the East Chelmsford Grammar School, furnishing the same with a suitable cement walk and other cement work, and enclosing the lot with a fence, the money to be expended by the School Committee and the Board of Selectmen, the work to be done by the Supt of Streets.

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Under Article 33 — Voted to dismiss this article

Under Article 34 — Voted to accept Coolidge Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen on Jan 15 1925 and shown by their report duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk.

Under Article 35 — Voted to accept Harding Street as laid out by the Selectmen and shown by their report duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk.

Under Article 36 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1000.00 for the purpose of improving the fire alarm system and extending the same.

Under Article 37 — Voted that the Town purchase an additional Chemical truck for the Fire Dept. to be located at East Chelmsford and authorize the Board of Fire Engineers to turn in the present Chemical truck belonging to the Town now located there, as part payment for such new truck, and that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of thirty two hundred and fifty dollars ($3250.00) with which to pay the balance of the purchase price.

Under Article 38 — Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $400 and elect a director at this meeting the money to be expended by and this director to serve in Co-operation with the County Agricultural Bureau of the Middlesex County Bureau of Agriculture and Home Economics under the provisions

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of Section 40 to 45 Chapter 128 General Laws of Massachusetts. Perley W. Kimball was elected director.

Under Article 39 - Voted to dismiss this Article

Under Article 40 - Voted to appoint Edward B. Russell, Warren Wright, Fredrick A Snow, Arthur W. Turby, and Sidney L. Parkhurst as a Committee to report at the next annual Town Meeting relative to the Town Trust Act so called, as provided in Acts of 1913 Chapter 564, entitled "An Act relative to Public Domain.

Under Article 41 - Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $575.00 for State Aid.

Under Article 42 - Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $2000.00 to be used as a Reserve Fund at the discretion of the Finance Committee as provided in General Laws Chapter 40, Section 6.

On motion made by Town Clerk Harold C. Pettman it was voted that the sum of $25000 be appropriated from Excess and Deficiency to apply towards appropriations made in 1925

Voted that the meeting be dissolved at 6.15 P.M.

Harold C. Pettman
Town Clerk

Walter Parham
Moderator

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## Officers Appointed By the Selectmen

| Office | Names of Officers | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Finance Committee | C. George Armstrong | | |
| | James P. Dunigan | | |
| | John C. Monahan | | |
| | Edmund Fairburn | March 9 1925 | Town Clerk |
| | Emile E. Paignon | | |
| | James A. Grant | March 4 1925 | Joseph Peabody J.P. |
| Town Counsel | Frederick A. Fisher | | |
| Supt. Streets | William Shanks | March 2 1925 | Town Clerk |
| Supt. Moth Dept | William Shanks | March 2 1925 | Town Clerk |
| Registrar of Voters | James Leahey | | |
| Sealer of Wights + Meas. | Curtis A. Aiken | March 3 1925 | Town Clerk |
| Forest Fire Warden | Arnold Perham Resigned May 1925 | March 2 1925 | Town Clerk |
| | Sidney E Duppee | May 25 1925 | " " |
| Fish + Game Warden | Harry Gonzales | March 27 1925 | Francis J Murphy J.P. |
| Supt of Indigent Soldiers + Sailors Burials | Walter Perham | | |
| Janitors of Town Halls. | | | |

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## Officers Appointed by the Selectmen

| Office | Name of Officer | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Fence Viewers | Herbert C. Sweetser | March 2 1925 | Town Clerk |
| | George Small | March 3 1925 | J. G. Sullivan J.P. |
| | George A. McNulty | March 28 1925 | Town Clerk |
| Appraisers | John F. Parker | Dec 30 1925 | Town Clerk |
| | Emile E. Paignon | | |
| | Albert H. Davis | March 4 1925 | Town Clerk |
| Special Police Officers | James R. Gookin | | |
| | George Small | March 3 1925 | Jos G. Sullivan J.P. |
| | Clarence Dane | | |
| | George Trigby | | |
| | Robert W. Barris | | |
| | George W. Day | | |
| | John F. Trainor | June 16 1925 | Mark E. Allen J.P. |
| | Mabell F. Whitlock | June 20 1925 | E. W. Trull J.P. |
| Special Police for Fire Duty only | Arnold C. Perham | July 31 1925 | Town Clerk. |
| Board of Fire Engineers | Arnold Perham | May 5 1925 | Town Clerk |
| | David Bilson | May 5 1925 | Town Clerk |
| | Archibald Cook | May 5 1925 | Town Clerk |

## Officers Appointed by the Selectmen

| Office | Name of Officer | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Meas. of Sawdust | Pearl T. Durrell | March 3 1925 | N. P. Moore N. P. |
| Weighers of Hay | Harry L. Parkhurst | May 11 1925 | Town Clerk |
| | Myron A. Queen | March 3 1925 | N. P. Moore N. P. |
| Weighers of Coal | Harry L. Parkhurst | May 11 1925 | Town Clerk |
| | William Hall | May 22 1925 | " " |
| | John J. Dunigan | March 19 1925 | Town Clerk |
| | James P. Dunigan | | |
| Weighers of Merchandise | James F. Leahey | | |
| | James Long | March 4 1925 | Walter Close J. P. |
| | Walter Perham | Sept 1 1925 | Town Clerk |
| | Sinai Simard | March 7 1925 | Town Clerk. |
| | James F. Dunigan | | |
| | Sidney E Perham | March 13 1925 | Town Clerk |
| | James P. Dunigan | | |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | May 11 1925 | Town Clerk |
| | Michael Scollan | March 4 1925 | Walter Close J. P. |
| | William Hall | May 22 1925 | Town Clerk |
| Measures of Lumber | Myron A. Queen | March 3 1925 | Norman P. Moore N. P. |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | May 11 1925 | Town Clerk |
| | Herbert C. Sweetser | March 2 1925 | Town Clerk |
| | Pearl T. Durrell | March 3 1925 | Norman P. Moore N. P. |
| | Arthur LaPrise | March 3 1925 | " " " |
| | James A. Burton | March 3 1925 | " " " |
| | Francis O. Dutton | | |
| | Edward B. Russell | March 11 1925 | H. Pettman Town Clerk |
| | Walter Edwards | | |
| | Carl Dunning | March 3 1925 | Norman P. Moore N. P. |
| | Joseph Erwin | May 23 1925 | Town Clerk |

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## Officers Appointed by the Selectmen

| Office | Name of Officer | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Ervin W. Sweetser | March 10 1925 | Town Clerk |
| | Myron A Queen | March 3 1925 | H. P. Moore N.P. |
| Measurer of Wood | Herbert C. Sweetser | March 2 1925 | Town Clerk |
| | Hosmer W. Sweetser | March 30 1925 | " " |
| | James F. Donigan | | |
| | Pearl T. Durrell | March 3 1925 | H. P. Moore N.P. |
| | Harry L. Barkhurst | | |
| Weighers of Sand + Gravel | Robert E. Bliss | March 9 1925 | Town Clerk |
| | James W. Stevens | " " " | " " |
| Supt. of Almshouse | Frank M Hannaford | March 6 1925 | Town Clerk |
| | | By Board of Health | |
| Meat Insp. | Wm S. Hall | | |
| Milk Insp. | Melvin Master | | |
| B of H. Agt. | Mary E. Sheehan | | |

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Warrant for Special Town Meeting
at Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre
Tuesday Evening, May 5 1925

Middlesex SS.
To Harold F. Adams, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre, on Tuesday the Fifth day of May next, at 8 o'clock in the evening then and there to act upon the following Articles, viz:

Article 1 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or borrow a sum not exceeding Seven Thousand Dollars ($7000.00) for the purpose of purchasing a triple Combination fire truck to be located at the Centre Village; or act in relation thereto.

Article 2 – In the event of affirmative action under the preceding article, to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Fire Engineers to sell or turn in the fire truck now located at South Chelmsford as part payment for such new truck, and to transfer the truck now located at the Centre Village to the South Village; or act in relation thereto.

Article 3 – To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of Twelve Thousand Dollars ($12,000.00), or what other sum, for the purpose of continuing Construction of the Acton Road and the Acton Road, and ~~upgrading~~ the Riverneck Road Billerica Road, and the Carlisle – Concord Road

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two thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the Commonwealth and the County of Middlesex; or act in relation thereto.

Article 4- To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four hundred dollars ($400.00), or what other sum as additional salary or compensation for the Meat Inspector; or act in relation thereto.

Article 5- To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from the balance now in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Fifteen Hundred dollars ($1500.00) or what other sum, for the purpose of securing insurance against fire upon the public buildings of the Town; or act in relation thereto.

Article 6- To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation at the then prevailing price for light for two additional lights on Putnam Ave and will raise and appropriate sufficient money to meet the expense thereof; or act in relation thereto.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from the balance now in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Sixteen Hundred dollars ($1600.00) or what other sum, for the purpose of meeting or paying unpaid bills; or act in relation thereto.

Article 8- To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen or appoint a Committee to draft a set of by-laws for the Town, and report the same at a

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subsequent meeting; or act in relation thereto

Article 9. To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to canvass the public ways of the Town, exclusive of thoroughfares and principal streets, and the location of termini of such other ways and names thereof, and report the result of their investigations with such recommendations as they may see fit to make at some future meeting of the Town; or act in relation thereto.

Article 10. In the event of affirmative action under the preceding article, to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-Five Dollars ($25.00) or what other sum, for the purpose of meeting the expense of such Committee; or act in relation thereto.

Article 11. To see if the Town will authorize the School Committee to sell a part or the whole of the discontinued pumping equipment at the Lincoln School, West Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford, and at the School House, East Chelmsford and at the Golden Cove School House, Westlands, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twenty fourth day of April in the year of our Lord nineteen

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hundred and twenty five.

George W. Clay
George Rigby
Robert W. Barrie
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing Warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said meeting, as directed by vote of the Town.

Harold F. Adams
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

Special Meeting May 5 1925

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant at the Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Center on Tuesday Evening May 5 1925 at 8 o'Clock P.M. the following business was transacted, To Wit: The meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Perham and the Warrant Read by Town Clerk Harold C. Pettigrew.

Before proceeding with the business called for in the Warrant, Moderator Walter Perham called the Town Clerk Harold C. Pettigrew to the Chair, and asked for personal privilege, no objection being made the Honorable Walter Perham was granted this privilege, at this time the Honorable Senator-Moderator Perham presented to the Town of Chelmsford a beautiful "Gavel" which was made from a piece of wood obtained from the Washington Elm at Cambridge, Mass. this gavel

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is stained a mahogany color and around the center of the head of this gavel is a silver band which bears the following inscription, "Made of Wood From the Washington Elm, Cambridge, Presented To Town of Chelmsford, Mass. By Walter Perham, May 5 1925"

In presenting this gift to the Town the Honorable Senator-Moderator Perham, said;

"We have just passed an important anniversary in Massachusetts, the scene of which was enacted in the neighboring towns of Lexington and Concord. The 19th of April marks the victory of an ideal, the beneficent results of which present no parallel in the history of Mankind.

This event is of particular interest to many of us whose ancestors joined the two Companies of Minute Men in Chelmsford more than 100 in number and marched to Concord on the morning of the 19th of April 1775

Shortly after, in June 1775 when the Continental Congress was sitting in Philadelphia, George Washington was chosen to be Commander in Chief of the American Forces. He was nominated by Samuel Adams of Massachusetts. On the 2nd of July Washington arrived in Cambridge and made his headquarters at the Craigie House, later occupied by the Poet Longfellow.

On the following day July 3rd General Washington took formal Command of the Continental Army under the shade of the famous Washington Elm

This historic Elm which stood for more than two Centuries, no longer remains to arouse the patriotism of the present generation, but the site has been perpetuated by the replacement of another elm at the hands of Vice President Dawes on the Holiday just passed. It has been announced in the Public press that

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that President Coolidge will deliver an address at this famous site suitably commemorating the 150th anniversary of Washington's Command on the 3rd of July next.

It has been my good fortune to obtain a piece of wood from the old Washington Elm which has been fashioned into a gavel, and I have the honor Mr. Moderator and ladies and gentlemen to present this gavel to the Town of Chelmsford. I present it through your Executive Officer Chairman of the Board of Selectmen Mr. George W. Hay the same to be for the use of Moderators of the Town at future Town Meetings.

The gavel is a symbol of order, an emblem of authority, and may the historic significance of this gavel, serve as an inspiration to all our citizens to emulate the precept and example of the immortal Washington."

Mr. George W. Hay, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, in behalf of the Town of Chelmsford accepted this gift, and said as follows:

Mr. Moderator, - Citizens and Senator Parham, the wood from which this gavel was made was once an entirical part of the Washington Elm, the supply was limited, but through personal effort, Senator Parham obtained this piece of wood and he had it finished as you see it and fittingly engraved and tendered it to the Town so that Chelmsford may have a moments of these historical times which meant so much to our forefathers, the fruits of whose spirits we enjoy today, In behalf of the Town of Chelmsford I accept this "Gavel" in the same spirit in which it is tendered, and I herewith turn this gift over to the Town Clerk for use at this and subsequent Town Meetings.

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On a motion made by Mr. Edward J Robbins it was unanimously voted to extend a rising vote of appreciation to Senator Perham for the gift of the "Washington Elm Gavel" presented to the Town by, Senator Perham.

Under Article 1 – On a motion made by John C. Monahan, that this article be left with the Board of Fire Engineers to report on at the next Annual Town Meeting, an amendment was made to the motion that the Engineers also study and report the needs of South Chelmsford and West Chelmsford Fire Departments, the amendment was carried. and it was so voted.

Under Article 2 – This article was disposed of under action taken under Article 1 –

Under Article 3 – Voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article 4 – Motion made by J. Clark Osterhout that $400.00 additional be appropriated for Meat Inspector Salary, the viva voce vote was doubted and Mr. Edward Riney and J. C. Monahan were appointed tellers a hand vote was taken and 81 voted in the affirmative and 98 voted in the negative.

Under Article 5 – Voted that the sum of $675.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of placing insurance on public buildings as follows, $30,000 on West Chelmsford School $30000 on East Chelmsford School and $15000 on South Chelmsford School, money to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

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Under Article 6— Voted to appropriate the sum of $22.00 to pay for two additional street lights on Putnam Ave.

Under Article 7 Voted to appropriate $1600.00 from money already in the hands of the Treasurer to pay unpaid bills

Under Article 8— Voted that Emile E. Poignon John C. Monahan and the Board of Selectmen be appointed to draw a set of By Laws for the Town and to report at a subsequent meeting.

Under Article 9— Voted that a Committee consisting of Fred A. Snow, John McAdams A. Heady Park, James F. Leahey and Arnold C. Perham and Henry Shedd be appointed to canvass the names and locations of the streets, avenues and roads of the Town and report their recommendation at the next annual Town meeting and in case the Committee contemplates a change in the name of a street the residents be given a hearing before the change be made.

Under Article 10— Voted that the sum of $25.00 be raised and appropriated from money already in the hands of the Treasurer for use of the Committee named under Article 9 to cover expenses.

Under Article 11— Voted to authorize the School Committee to sell a part or the whole of the discontinued pumping equipment at the Lincoln School, West Chelmsford.
Voted that the meeting be dissolved at 10 P.M.
Walter Perham Moderator Harold C. Pattison Town Clerk

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex SS.

To Howard F. Adams, Constable of the Town of Chelmsford,

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in their several Polling Places, viz:-

Precinct 1, Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre
Precinct 2, Town Hall, North Chelmsford
Precinct 3, Historical Hall, West Chelmsford
Precinct 4, School House, East Chelmsford
Precinct 5, School House, South Chelmsford
Precinct 6, Golden Cove School House, Westlands

Tuesday, the sixteenth day of June 1925 at 4. P. M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following office:

Representative in Congress - - - 5th Congressional District

The Polls will be open from 4. P.M. to 8 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford North Chelmsford and West Chelmsford and at the School House, East Chelmsford, and at the Golden Cove School House, Westlands, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting. Hereof Fail Not, and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding said meeting

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George W. Clay
George Rigby
Robert W. Barrin
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing Warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of holding said meeting

June 8 1925

Harold F Adams
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

June 16 1925

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Primaries, held pursuant to Warrant posted June 9 1925 at the several Precincts in Town the following persons recieved the number of votes set against their respective names!

| Office | Candidate | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Congressman 5 Middlesex District | George H. Brown - Rep | 4 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 14 |
| | James Wilson Grimes - Rep. | 6 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 18 |
| | Edith Nourse Rogers - Rep | 426 | 239 | 40 | 38 | 51 | 134 | 928 |
| | Blanks | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Eugene N. Foss - Dem. | 6 | 12 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 4 | 30 |
| | Blanks | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| | Total by Precincts | 442 | 264 | 43 | 46 | 54 | 144 | 993 |

Harold C Patterson
Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Mass.

Middlesex ss.

To Harold F. Adams, Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in elections and also in town affairs to meet in their several polling places, viz:

Precinct One, Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre
Precinct Two, " " North Chelmsford
Precinct Three Historical Hall, West Chelmsford
Precinct Four, School House, East Chelmsford
Precinct Five, " " South Chelmsford
Precinct Six, Golden Cove School House, Westlands

on Tuesday, the thirtieth day of June, 1925 at 2 o'clock P.M. for the following purpose:

To bring in their votes for the following officer:

Representative in Congress ----- 5th Congressional District

The Polls will be open from 2 P.M. to 8 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Office in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford and West Chelmsford, and at the School House, East Chelmsford, and at the Golden Cove School House, Westlands, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twentieth day of June A. D. 1925

George W. Hay
George Rigby
Robert W. Barrie
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at least seven days before the time of holding said meeting, as directed by vote of the Town

June 22 1925

Harold F. Adams
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

Election June 30 1925

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in elections and town affairs held pursuant to Warrant dated June 22 1925 at the several precincts in the Town the following persons received the number of votes set against their respective names.

| Office | Candidate | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Congressman 5th Middlesex District | Eugene N. Foss - of | 35 | 188 | 7 | 39 | 3 | 15 | 28 |
| | Edith Nourse Rogers - of Lowell | 535 | 388 | 54 | 70 | 70 | 174 | 129 |
| | Blanks | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | [illegible] |
| | Total | 571 | 581 | 61 | 110 | 73 | 189 | 158[illegible] |

June 30 1925

Harold C. Pettirsen
Clerk

Precinct Election Officers appointed by the Selectmen to serve for one year ending Sept 1 1926.

| Office | Name | Prec. | When Qualified | By Whom |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Warden | Daniel E. Haley | 1 | Jn. 24 1925 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | John H. Pratt | 1 | Jn. 20 1925 | H. C. Sweeter J. P. |
| Dep. Warden | Walter H. McMahon | 1 | Jn. 24 1925 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | Francis J. Sheehan | 1 | Jn. 24 1925 | Town Clerk |
| Dep. Clerk | Pearl M. Adams | 1 | Jn. 23 1925 | H. C. Sweeter J. P. |
| Inspector | Annie C. Davis | 1 | Dec 1 1925 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | Edith A. Perham | 1 | Jn. 23 1925 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | Bessie A. Perham | 1 | Jn. 20 1925 | Town Clerk. |
| " | Abegonde Peterson | 1 | Jan 28 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Warden | James McQuade | 2 | | |
| Clerk | Georgia M. Queen | 2 | Jn. 19 1925 | Town Clerk |
| Dep. Warden | John W. Vinal | 2 | Jn. 21 1925 | Town Clerk |
| Dep. Clerk | Maud Shedd | 2 | Jn. 20 1925 | Wm T. Picken N.P. |
| Inspector | Elizabeth G. Daley | 2 | | |
| " | Mary K. Daley | 2 | | |
| " | Mary Murphy | 2 | | |
| " | Harriet Buchanan | 2 | | |
| Warden | Bayard C. Dean | 3 | Dec 14 1925 | L. J. Ellinwood N.P. |
| Clerk | Loren Ellinwood | 3 | Dec 18 1925 | F. A. Snow N.P. |
| Dep. Warden | Lillie Binn | 3 | Dec 26 1925 | E. F. Hunnewell J.P. |
| Dep. Clerk | Catherine D. Riney | 3 | Jan. 25 1926 | Jos J. Boland J.P. |
| Inspector | Rita G. Anderson | 3 | Dec 11 1925 | L. J. Ellinwood N.P. |
| " | James Savage | 3 | | |
| Warden | Daniel Reardon | 4 | Jn 21 1925 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | Lewis H. Jennison | 4 | | |
| Dep. Warden | Lydia S. Barris | 4 | | |
| Dep. Clerk | Annie Shedd | 4 | Jan. 28 1926 | Geo. H. Upton N.P. |
| Inspector | Charles Finnick | 4 | Jn. 24 1925 | Town Clerk |
| " | Mary L. Quinn | 4 | Jn. 21 1925 | Town Clerk |

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Warden | John P. Scoboria | 5 | Mn. 24 1925 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | Sidney E. Dupee | 5 | Mn. 19 1925 | Town Clerk |
| Dep. Warden | George L. Waite | 5 | Mn. 21 1925 | Wm E. Sullivan J.P. |
| Dep. Clerk | Caroline Wright | 5 | Mn. 23 1925 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | John F. Parker | 5 | Dec 30 1925 | Town Clerk |
| " | Ethel M. Wright | 5 | Jan 25 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | | | | |
| Warden | George A. McIntosh | 6 | Mn. 25 1925 | Frank Coburn N.P. |
| Clerk | Eleanor Parker | 6 | Mn. 23 1925 | Alma M. McKittrick |
| Dep. Warden | Robert Henderson | 6 | Mn. 20 1925 | H. Wheelton J.P. |
| Dep. Clerk | Florrie Walton | 6 | Mn. 18 1925 | Ralph W. Emerson J.P. |
| Inspector | Raymond T. Osborn | 6 | Mn. 23 1925 | Geo E. French J.P. |
| " | John P. Quirk | 6 | Mn. 18 1925 | Town Clerk. |

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# Warrant for Annual Town Meeting
## February 1, 1926 and February 8 1926

Middlesex ss:
To Harold F. Adams, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby requested to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in their several polling places, viz:

Precinct One, Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre
Precinct Two, Town Hall, North Chelmsford
Precinct Three, Historical Hall, West Chelmsford
Precinct Four, School House, East Chelmsford
Precinct Five, Liberty Hall, South Chelmsford
Precinct Six, Golden Cove School House, Westlands

On Monday, the First day of February, 1926, being the First Monday in said month at 12 o'clock noon, for the following purpose: To bring in their votes for the following officers,

Moderator for One Year
One Selectman for three years
One Overseer of Poor for three years
One Assessor for three years
Town Treasurer and Collector Taxes for One Year
One Member of the Board of Health for three years
One Constable for One Year
One School Committeeman for three years
Two Trustees for Adams Library for three years
Tree Warden for One Year
One Insurance fund Commissioner for three years
One Cemetery Commissioner for three years
One Park Commissioner for three years

all on one ballot.

The polls will be open from 12 m to 8 P. M

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and to meet in the Town Hall of Chelmsford Centre on the following,

Monday, the Eighth day of February, 1926 at 9.30 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act upon the following Articles, viz:

Article 1 – To hear reports of Town Officers and Committees; or act in relation thereto

Article 2 – To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray Town Charges for the current year.

Article 3 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year; also in such other matters as may arise requiring in their judgement the action of such agent, and to employ Counsel therefor

Article 4 – To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year.

Article 5 – To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer a sufficient sum with which to meet unpaid bills of 1925; or act in relation thereto.

Article 6 – To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to Contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation at the then prevailing price per light for the following additional lights and will raise and appropriate sufficient money to meet the expense thereof, viz:

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Five lights on Richardson Road
Three lights on Edmunds Ave, East Chelmsford
Four lights on Locust Road
Four lights on Robbins Hill Road
One light on Westford (Street) Road
One light on Graham Street
Four lights on Walton Road
Three lights on Fletcher Street
Seven lights on Russell Mill Road
Three lights on Wenstable Road
Five lights on Billerica Street
Eight lights on Hunt Road
Six lights on Pine Hill Road

or act in relation thereto.

Article 7 – To see if the Town will vote to raise or borrow the sum of Twelve Thousand Dollars ($12,000) or what other sum, for the purpose of continuing the construction of the Braintree Road, the Acton Road and of widening Billerica Street two thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the Commonwealth and County of Middlesex; or act in relation thereto.

Article 8 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($250.00), or what other sums with which to carry on the work of the Committee appointed at the Annual Town Meeting in 1924 "to have Charge of suitably marking historic spots within the Town", which committee was "to continue in office until all such places are marked;" or act in relation thereto.

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Article 9- To see if the Town will vote to sell and convey a certain lot of vacant land supposed to have been formerly of Homer Stevens and wife, situated on the Plimsoll Road, so-called, acquired by the Town for the purpose of building a school house; or act in relation thereto.

Article 10. To see if the Town will consent to the laying out of a new road extending southerly from the West Chelmsford Road for a distance of about one thousand feet over and along the westerly side of the new cemetery, so called; or act in relation thereto.

Article 11— To hear and act upon the report of the Special Committee appointed at the last annual Town Meeting to investigate and report relative to the "Town Street Act"; or act in relation thereto

Article 12- To see if the Town will vote to purchase for a public domain a certain lot of stump land situated in the southerly part of Chelmsford, containing about twenty five acres, commonly known as the Thanksgiving Ground, formerly property of the late Daniel Sage; also an adjoining piece of sprout land containing about twenty acres, belonging to E. H. Rowell; also a certain lot of stump land situated on Chestnut Hill, containing about twenty five acres, belonging to Fred L. Fletcher or any one or more of them as provided in General Laws, Section 19, Chapter 45, entitled "Parks, Playgrounds and Public Domains" or in the alternative, will vote to purchase said lots of land or any one or more of them, for the purpose

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of forestation, as provided in General Laws Section 35, Chapter 132, entitled "Forestry", as amended by the Acts of 1924, Chapter 24 and will raise and appropriate a sufficient sum to cover the purchase price of such real estate and the cost of procuring and setting out forest trees thereon; or act in relation thereto

Article 13 – To hear and act upon the report and recommendations of the Committee on Renaming streets appointed at a Special Town meeting held in 1925; or act in relation thereto.

Article 14 – To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the following public Town ways, namely;

Chestnut Hill Road in part;
Canal Road in part;
North Road to Lowell Line.

or act in relation thereto.

Article 15 – To see if the Town will indemnify the Commonwealth of Massachusetts against any and all claims for land, grade and drainage damages which may be caused by or result from the laying out, alteration or reconstruction of the State Highway or section of the State Highway on Littleton Street, and will authorize the Board of Selectmen to sign indemnity agreement therefor in behalf of the Town, or take any other action in respect thereto.

Article 16 – To see if the Town will vote to instruct Town Officials having any property of the Town to sell, to advertise sale

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property and call for competitive bids on same fourteen (14) days before date of sale, except when otherwise voted at an annual or special meeting; or act in relation thereto.

Article 17 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Dollars ($400.00) or what other sum and elect a director; the money to be expended by and the director to serve in co-operation with the Middlesex County Trustees for County Aid (and) to Agriculture in the work of the Middlesex County Extension Service under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45 Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts; or act in relation thereto.

Article 18 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($250.00) or what other sum, for the purpose of continuing the grading of Stone Street; or act in relation thereto.

Article 19 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) or what other sum for the purpose of grading and oiling Sprague Avenue; or act in relation thereto.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($250.00) or what other sum, for the purpose of constructing a sidewalk beginning on Main Road, so called, on easterly side at the termination of the present sidewalk in front of Mr. Thayer's residence and continuing northerly to the junction of

of the Holton and North Roads, a distance of approximately eleven hundred feet, more or less; or act in relation thereto.

Article 21 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars, ($1200.00) or what other sum for the purpose of improving and extending the fire alarm system; or act in relation thereto

Article 22 – To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to make investigation and report at the next annual Town meeting as to the advisability of obtaining a fire House site at the West Village; or act in relation thereto.

Article – 23 – To see if the Town will vote to purchase a triple combination fire pump or pumper, so-called, for the use of the Fire Department, and will raise and appropriate in whole or in part or borrow in part, the sum of Seventy five hundred dollars ($7500.00) with which to pay therefor; act in relation thereto.

Article 24 – In the event of affirmative action under the preceding article to see if the Town will vote to sell one piece of motor fire apparatus now in use by the Fire Department; or act in relation thereto.

Article 25 – To see if the Town will vote to authorize the School Committee to expend from money already in the Town Treasury the sum of Four Hundred Dollars

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($400.00) for the purpose of procuring plans and specifications for new heating systems in the two school buildings on Pinnacle Street, North Chelmsford, and also in the Livermore School at West Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

Article 26 – To see if the Town will authorize the School Committee to expend from money already in the Town Treasury the sum of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) for the purpose of procuring technical advice and preliminary layout of a flush toilet system in the Livermore School at West Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

Article 27 – To see if the Town will vote to authorize the School Committee to dispose of the old North Grammar School House; or act in relation thereto.

Article 28 – To see if the Town will accept and allow King Street, as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article 29 – To see if the Town will accept and allow an extension of Evergreen St. as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article 30 – To see if the Town will accept and allow New Fletcher Street, as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

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Article 31 – To see if the Town will accept an allow Fern Street, as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk, or act in relation thereto.

Article 32 – To see if the Town will accept and allow Albina Street as laid out by the Selectmen as shown in their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article 33 – To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand dollars ($1,000.00), or what other sum, for the purpose of grading Wilson Street; or act in relation thereto

Article 34 – To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to purchase six reflex beacons for the Street Department and will raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars ($300.00) or what other sum; or act in relation thereto.

Article 35 – To see if the Town will appoint a committee to consider and report at some future meeting as to what changes or improvements, if any, should be made in the Public Common at Chelmsford, or act in relation thereto.

Article 36 – To see if the Town will vote that the School Committee, together with such other persons as the Town may add, shall be a Special Committee to investigate and report as to the best use or disposition to be made of the old grammar school house situated on the

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North Road at Chelmsford Centre.

Article 37— To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum with which to pay land damages growing out of the relocation of the Holton Road; or act in relation thereto.

Article 38— To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred and Seventy five Dollars ($575.00) or what other sum, for State Aid; or act in relation thereto.

Article 39— To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer, a sum not exceeding Two Thousand Dollars, ($2000.00) to be used as a Reserve Fund at the discretion of the Finance Committee as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40 Section 6; or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested Copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Centre of the Town South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford, and at the School House East Chelmsford and at the Golden Cove School House Westlands, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding the first meeting aforesaid.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the first meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this eighteenth day

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of January, in the year of our Lord Nineteen Hundred and twenty six.

George W Hay
George Rigby
Robert W Davis
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing Warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said first meeting, as directed by vote of the Town, and by the foregoing order

Arnold F. Adams
Constable of the Town of
Chelmsford

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At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant February 1 1926 at the six precincts in the Town, the following persons received the number of votes set against their respective names for Town Officers, as follows:

| Office | Candidate | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Moderator 1 yr. | Walter Perham | 495 | 200 | 62 | 104 | 60 | 135 | 1056 |
| | Blanks | 92 | 125 | 13 | 82 | 13 | 37 | 362 |
| Selectman for 3 years | Ralph P. Adams | 404 | 132 | 54 | 47 | 38 | 57 | 732 |
| | Arthur E. Dutton | 87 | 12 | 4 | 3 | 20 | 8 | 134 |
| | David Ingham | 80 | 175 | 16 | 131 | 15 | 106 | 523 |
| | Blanks | 16 | 6 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 29 |
| Overseer of Poor for 3 years | Ralph P. Adams | 402 | 128 | 55 | 48 | 38 | 52 | 723 |
| | Arthur E. Dutton | 95 | 14 | 3 | 2 | 18 | 8 | 140 |
| | David Ingham | 84 | 162 | 15 | 120 | 16 | 109 | 506 |
| | Blanks | 6 | 21 | 2 | 16 | 1 | 3 | 49 |
| Board of Health 3 years | J. Clark Osterhout | 260 | 134 | 29 | 110 | 38 | 85 | 656 |
| | Abbott W. Russell | 300 | 123 | 36 | 62 | 35 | 68 | 624 |
| | Blanks | 27 | 68 | 10 | 14 | 0 | 19 | 138 |
| Treas. and Tax. Collector 1 year | Ervin W. Sweetser | 397 | 260 | 63 | 116 | 67 | 109 | 1012 |
| | George M. Wright | 180 | 54 | 7 | 46 | 6 | 59 | 352 |
| | Blanks | 10 | 11 | 5 | 24 | 0 | 4 | 54 |
| Assessor 3 years | Warren Wright | 560 | 193 | 53 | 103 | 71 | 132 | 1112 |
| | Blanks | 27 | 132 | 22 | 83 | 2 | 40 | 306 |
| Constable 1 year | Donald F. Adams | 531 | 215 | 65 | 112 | 64 | 154 | 1141 |
| | Blanks | 56 | 110 | 10 | 74 | 9 | 18 | 27[illegible] |
| School Committee 3 years | Frank J. Lupien | 499 | 208 | 65 | 112 | 64 | 133 | 1081 |
| | Blanks | 88 | 117 | 10 | 74 | 9 | 39 | 337 |
| Trustees of Adams Library | Frances Clark | 462 | 157 | 51 | 82 | 54 | 118 | 924 |
| | Wilson Waters (Sticker Cand.) | 295 | 37 | 38 | 19 | 31 | 53 | 473 |
| | Blanks | 417 | 446 | 61 | 281 | 61 | 173 | 1438 |
| Tree Warden 1 year | William Shanks | 511 | 192 | 59 | 118 | 66 | 146 | 1092 |
| | Blanks | 76 | 133 | 16 | 68 | 7 | 26 | 325 |
| Ins. Fund Com. | William J. Quigley | 424 | 217 | 55 | 110 | 60 | 118 | 984 |
| | Blanks | 163 | 108 | 20 | 76 | 13 | 54 | 435 |

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| Office | Candidate | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cem. Comm. 3 years | Bayard C. Dean | 419 | 187 | 71 | 89 | 61 | 118 | 945 |
| | Blanks | 168 | 138 | 4 | 97 | 12 | 54 | 473 |
| Park Comm. 3 years | Patrick S. Ward | 399 | 231 | 62 | 112 | 59 | 114 | 977 |
| | Blanks | 188 | 94 | 13 | 74 | 14 | 58 | 441 |
| | Total No. Votes cast in each Prec. | 587 | 325 | 75 | 186 | 73 | 172 | 1418 |

Total number registered voters 2642

Harold Pettirem
Town Clerk

| Office | Elected | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Selectman | Ralph P. Adams | Feb 8 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Moderator | Walter Perham | Feb 8 1926 | " " |
| Overseer Poor | Ralph P. Adams | Feb 8 1926 | " " |
| Board of Health | J. Clark Osterhout | Feb 8 1926 | " " |
| Treas. + Tax Coll. | Ervin W. Sweetser | Feb 9 1926 | " " |
| Assessor | Warren Wright | Feb 8 1926 | " " |
| Constable | Donald F. Adams | Feb 8 1926 | " " |
| School Comm. | Frank J. Lupien | Feb 8 1926 | " " |
| Trustees of | Frances Clark | Feb 8 1926 | " " |
| Adams Library | Wilson Waters | Feb 8 1926 | " " |
| Tree Warden | William Shanks | Feb 8 1926 | " " |
| Cem. Fund Com. | William J. Quigley | Feb 8 1926 | " " |
| Cem. Com. | Bayard C. Dean | Feb 8 1926 | " " |
| Park. Com. | Patrick S. Ward | Feb 8 1926 | " " |

Harold Pettirem
Town Clerk

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# Business Meeting

## February 8 1926

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant at the Upper Town Hall, at Chelmsford Centre Monday. Feb. 8 1926 at 9.30 A. M. the following business was transacted, To Wit:

The meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Perham, on a motion made by Selectman George Rigby the reading of the Warrant was waived.

Under Article 1 — To hear reports of Town Officers and Committees

Mr. John C. Monahan reported for the Committee appointed to draft a set of By-Laws, Mr. Monahan said that the Committee had spent quite a considerable amount of time and energy in preparing the same, and explained that the proposed set of laws were printed in pamphlet with the Finance Committee report, which were available to all voters, Mr. Monahan made a motion that the By Laws be accepted and adopted by the Town, and it was so voted.

Mr. Albert Hovis made a motion that the Town Report be accepted as printed, and it was so voted.

Under Article 2 — To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray Town Charges for the current year, the following

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amounts were voted,

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| Moderators Salary | $10.00 |
| Selectmen Salaries | 650.00 |
| Selectmens Expense | 175.00 |
| Town Clerk and Accountants Salary | 2000.00 |
| Town Clerk and Accountants Expense | 250.00 |
| Collector and Treasurer Salary | 1500.00 |
| Collector and Treasurer Expense | 375.00 |
| Treasurers Bond | 220.00 |
| Assessors Wages | 1600.00 |
| Assessors Expense | 150.00 |
| Assessors Transportation | 150.00 |
| Town Counsel Salary | 300.00 |
| Election and Registration | 1200.00 |
| Appraisers Salary | 30.00 |
| Appraisers Expense | 3.00 |
| Janitors of Public Halls $450.00 each | 900.00 |
| Fuel, Light and Water, Public Halls | 725.00 |
| Repairs, Public Halls | 850.00 |
| Public Halls Other Expense | 50.00 |
| Police Department | 4500.00 |
| Fire Dept. Salaries | 3200.00 |
| Fire Dept. Janitors Salaries | 325.00 |
| Fire Dept. Expense of Engineers | 75.00 |
| Fire Dept. Labor and Expense at Fires | 600.00 |
| Fire Dept. Supplies | 200.00 |
| Fire Dept. Building Repairs | 150.00 |
| Fire Dept. Telephone & Alarms | 600.00 |
| Fire Dept. Maintenance of Trucks | 500.00 |
| Fire Dept. New Equipment | 450.00 |
| Fire Dept. Fuel, Light & Water | 500.00 |
| Fire Dept. Rent | 380.00 |
| North Chelmsford Hydrant Service | 750.00 |
| Chelmsford Centre Hydrant Service | 750.00 |
| West Chelmsford Hydrant Service | 20.00 |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | 225.00 |
| Moth Department | 2500.00 |
| Tree Warden | 200.00 |
| Forest Fires Dept. | 1000.00 |

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| Board of Health Salaries | 650.00 |
| Board of Health Transportation | 200.00 |
| Board of Health Agent Salary | 100.00 |
| Board of Health Agents Transportation | 200.00 |
| Board of Health Aid | 1250.00 |
| Board of Health Maintenance | 200.00 |
| Board of Health Meat Inspector Salary | 600.00 |
| Board of Health Milk Inspector Salary | 350.00 |
| Animal Inspector Salary | 200.00 |
| It was voted to lay the Highway budget on the table until after Article 7 is disposed of Article 7 having been acted upon it was voted for the | |
| Highway Department Supt Salary | 2500.00 |
| Highway Department, General Highways | 17000.00 |
| Highway Department, Truck Maintenance | 2008.00 |
| Highway Department, Road Binder | 7500.00 |
| Highway Department, Cutting Brush | 500.00 |
| Highway Department, Street Signs | 200.00 |
| Highway Department, Newfield St Special | 1500.00 |
| Street Lighting | 12500.00 |
| Overseers of Poor Salaries | 225.00 |
| Overseers of Poor Maintenance | 15.00 |
| Overseers of Poor, Outside Poor | 7000.00 |
| Almshouse, Supt Salary | 900.00 |
| Almshouse, Expense | 2100.00 |
| Almshouse, Repairs | 100.00 |
| Soldiers Relief | 600.00 |
| School Dept. Administration ($350.00 for Com. Expense) | 4000.00 |
| School Dept. New Equipment | 1500.00 |
| School Dept. Instruction | 64,200.00 |
| School Dept. Operation and Maintenance | 18,900.00 |
| School Dept. Auxiliary Agencies | 11,700.00 |
| Vocational School Plus Hog Tax | 1800.00 |
| Adams Library | 2000.00 |
| North Chelmsford Library | 1200.00 |
| Park Dept. | 700.00 |
| Band Concerts | 300.00 |
| Memorial Day (Am. Leg. G.A.R. S.W. Vet) | 200.00 |

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| Village Clock | 30.00 |
| Town Reports | 756.67 |
| Insurance on Pub Bldgs | 540.00 |
| Cemetery Dept. Commissioners Salaries | 105.00 |
| Cemetery Dept. Riverside Cemetery | 500.00 |
| Cemetery Dept. Forefathers Cemetery | 500.00 |
| Cemetery Dept. Hart Pond Cemetery | 500.00 |
| Cemetery Dept Pine Ridge Cemetery | 900.00 |
| Cemetery Dept. West Chelmsford Cemetery | 500.00 |
| Cemetery Dept New Cemetery | 1200.00 |
| Insurance Fund | 3500.00 |
| Expense of Finance Committee | 20.00 |
| Mary Howes Vs. Town Acct Injury | 300.00 |

Under Article 3 – Voted that the Town authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise requiring in their judgement the action of such agent and to employ Counsel therefor.

Under Article 4 – Voted that the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to borrow money with the approval of the Selectmen from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning Jan. 1 1926 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of such financial year.

Under Article 5 – Voted that the sum of $3528.15 be appropriated from money already in the hands of the Treasurer for the purpose of paying unpaid bills.

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Under Article 6 — Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $425.00, and that the Selectmen be and they are hereby authorized to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation at the then prevailing price per light, for twenty additional street lights, said lights to be installed at locations to be designated by the Selectmen.

Under Article 7 — Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve Thousand Dollars ($12,000.00), of which One Thousand Dollars ($1000.00) is to be used for the purpose of repairing the Billerica Road, Six Thousand Dollars ($6000.00) for the purpose of continuing the construction of the Boston Road, and Five Thousand Dollars ($5000.00) for continuing the construction of that part of the Acton Road located between South Street and High Street; two thirds of the expense to be borne in each and every case equally by the Commonwealth and by the County of Middlesex.

Under Article 8 — Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $250.00 with which to carry on the work of the Committee appointed at the Annual Town Meeting in 1924, for the purpose of suitably marking historic spots within the Town.

Under Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to sell a certain lot of vacant land on the Hunstable Road, it was voted to dismiss this article

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Under Article 10 — Voted that the Town consent to the laying out and construction over and along the westerly side of the cemetery known as the New Fairview Cemetery, of a public way extending southerly from the West Chelmsford Road, so-called, as or substantially as shown on a plan entitled "New Location of Twiss Road, Chelmsford, Mass. surveyed 1925 by J. C. and W. P. Monahan, Civil Engineers, 219 Central St. Lowell, Mass. Scale 50 feet to an inch".

Under Article 11 — To hear and act upon the report of a Special Committee, relative to the "Town Forest Act."

Report of the Town Forestry Committee

Your Committee appointed at the last Annual Town Meeting for the purpose of investigating the merits of the Town Forest Act, so called, and its subsequent amendments and for the purpose of investigating into the advisibility of accepting the same report as follows:—

First of all to start at what should properly be the beginning of our investigation we inquired into what the approximate amount of standing timber might be in this Town now, as against twenty five years ago.

Two million feet would surely be a safe estimate of the amount of lumber within the Town's limits at present of a dimension that one would want cut, and of this amount there is probably no single stand of over two hundred thousand feet.

Twenty Five years ago from information given us by men who are in a position to know, an estimate of fifteen million feet

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of standing timber in this Town would be very conservative. Surely these figures warranted the belief by the Committee if this Town was a criterion of a general condition throughout the state that it would be well to investigate the general statistics relating to the state and nations timber resources.

The facts thus presented by the various organizations that are working for conservation of the timber resources of this country are overwhelming and are convincing of the need of concerted action by every municipality which has any lands available for re-forestation purposes.

We find that the question of the acceptance of the "Town Forest Act" so-called by which the Town is permitted to acquire land for the purpose of re-forestation has been acted upon favorably by over sixty towns and cities in the state and that one hundred other cities and towns have within the past year appointed town forest committees, the same as ourselves to report back as to the advisability of accepting the act.

We hereby recommend that the Town accept the "Town Forest Act" so-called as provided in General Laws, Chapter 132 Section 35, as amended by the Acts of 1924, Chapter 24, and we also recommend that a standing Town Forest Committee of three members be appointed, said Committee to serve without compensation.

Signed,
Edward B. Russell Chairman
Frederic A. Snow.

It was voted to accept the report and filed

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the same on file

It was voted to accept the "Town Forestry Act" so-called, as provided by the "General Laws, Chapter 132 Section 35. and as amended by the Acts of 1924, Chapter 24" to read as follows,

Towns may acquire by purchase, gift or bequest lands for the purpose of forestation and may reclaim and plant such lands. The said department may upon application in such form as the forester may prescribe furnish such towns free of charge with seedlings for the planting of their lands.

The Committee appointed, to be known as the "Town Forestry Committee" and to serve without compensation, appointed by the Moderator are, Edward B. Russell, George B.B. Wright and Patrick S. Ward.

Under Article 12— On a motion made by Edward B. Russell, that the Town raise and appropriate $700.00 to purchase land mentioned in article 12 was defeated.

Under Article 13— It was voted to accept the report of this Committee and that the names of the streets, roads squares, etc as reported by said Committee be adopted as the official names thereof, and that the Selectmen be directed to publish the names of streets and the descriptions thereof in the next Town Report.

A vote of thanks was extended to this Committee for the good work accomplished, the Committee consist of Arnold C. Putnam, Frederic A. Lowe.

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John A. McAdams, James F. Leahey and Henry C. Shedd, and A. Heady Park.

Under Article 14 – It was voted to discontinue that part of Chestnut Hill Road from Old Westford Road at F. L. Fletcher's to junction of road from Chamberlain's Corner, and Canal Road from a stone bound near the residence of Joseph Jeans easterly to the Billerica line near Brick Kiln Road, also a road from the North Road near the top of Drum Hill in a southeasterly direction to the Lowell line near the residence of Mr. Remmes.

Under Article 15 – It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1000.00 for the purpose of paying land grade or drainage damages, caused by or result from the laying out, alteration or reconstruction of the State Highway or of the section of the State Highway on Littleton Street, and the Selectmen are hereby authorized to sign an indemnity agreement in behalf and for the Town to the limit of $1000.00.

Under Article 16 – It was voted to instruct town officials having any property of the Town to sell, to advertise, said property and call for competitive bids on same 14 days before date of sale except when otherwise voted at an Annual or Special Town meeting, this is exclusive of any Town Farm property, bids are to be sealed and opened publicly, this vote does not apply to goods valued by the Selectmen under the sum of $25.00.

Under Article 17 — It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Dollars ($400.00) the money to be expended by and the director to serve in co-operation with the Middlesex County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture in the work of the Middlesex County Extension Service, under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45, Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts.

Perley W. Kimball was elected director.

Under Article 18 — Regards to the appropriation of $250.00 with which to grade Moore Street, it was voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article 19 — It was voted (unanimously) to raise and appropriate the sum of ($500.00) with which to grade, gravel and oil Sprague Ave. from Gorham St. to the Brick Kiln Road. (The Clerk herewith takes pleasure in complimenting Mr. Saunders Sr. on the eloquent oration delivered in behalf of this Article)

Under Article 20 — It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $250.00 for the purpose of constructing a sidewalk beginning at the termination of the present sidewalk on the North Road, so-called, on the easterly side in front of Mr. Phaysis residence and continuing northerly to the junction of the Holton and North Roads, a distance of approximately 1100 feet, more or less.

Under Article 21 — It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1000.00 for the purpose of improving and extending the Fire

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Alarm system, the money to be expended under the direction of the Board of Fire Engineers.

Under Article 22 — It was voted to appoint a Committee to investigate and report at the next Annual Town Meeting as to the advisability of obtaining a fire house site at the West Village, the Committee to be appointed by the Moderator, the Moderator appointed as this Committee Howard Bilson, Elmer Trull and Edwin Stearns.

Under Article 23 — The Committee appointed at the Special Town Meeting May 5 1925 to investigate the need of better fire protection in the Centre, South and West Villages, particularly with reference to the need of a pumper report as follows;

In the Centre we recommend that a site be secured at once for the erection in the near future of a fire house large enough to properly accomodate the necessary fire apparatus, the fire alarm system and supplies.

We recommend the gradual extension of the fire alarm system by the addition of a number of fire alarm boxes annually and also the installation of at least one auxiliary alarm box in the high school and the new grade school for better protection of lives and property.

We recommend the immediate purchase of a new motor pumper, or triple combination as it is called of not less than 500 gallons capacity, rather than to install a pump on the present double combination which is over four years

old and was not built to accomodate a pump. To install such a pump would cost three fifths the price of a new one and when complete would be of small capacity and questionable durability. A pumper located at the Centre would afford protection to much property outside of the hydrant area but near available water ways, this applies to the South Village to a great extent. Water can be pumped from Baptist Pond and the outlet brook River Meadow Brook and Beaver Brook there are 134 houses and 64 Barns besides many other buildings such as garages hen houses, ice houses, and greenhouses all within 1000 ft. of the named water ways. The above property with contents has an estimated market or insurance value of about 1/2 million dollars & the actual amount afon the tax books is 1/4 million dollars which of course does not include the exempt property such as furniture, hay and farm implements etc or land.

It was suggested to the Committee that a dry hydrant could be located in the square at the South Village and connected with the pond therefore we caused a survey to be made which showed the square to be 11 feet higher than the surface of the pond. We wish to extend our thanks to J.C. & W.T. Monahan C. E. who made this survey for us without remuneration. There are many other places from which water could be pumped such as the Concord River, the Powell hydrants at the Town line on Gorham St and Carlisle St. Numerous wells

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Cisterns and small brooks that contain water six months in a year.

We find that the West Village can be effectively covered by the pumper at the North Village except where the distance of the fire from Stony Brook was too far to be reached by a small pump it would then be necessary to call for the larger one if we had it at the Centre. We suggest that a Committee be appointed to investigate relative to the need of a fire house site in the West Village.

We especially recommend that property owners in sections not having an adequate water supply available for use by a pumper take steps where possible to provide a water hole or basin near their buildings. This could well be done by groups of owners at little expense to each.

Arnold C Perham
Archibald Cooke
Harvid Bilham
Committee

It was voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $7500.00 for the purchase of a high combination motor pumper for the use of the Fire Dept. The purchasing Committee to be the Board of Fire Engineers Arnold Perham, Harvid Bilham and Archibald Cooke.

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Under Article 24. In regards to the selling of one piece of motor fire apparatus belonging to the Fire Dept. it was voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article 25 – It was voted to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of $350.00 for the purpose of procuring plans and specifications of a new heating system in the two school buildings on Princeton Street, North Chelmsford, and also in the Quessy School at West Chelmsford, under the direction of the School Committee.

Under Article 26 – It was voted to appropriate the sum of $100.00 for the purpose of procuring technical advice and preliminary lay out of a flush toilet system in the Quessy School at West Chelmsford, the money to be appropriated from money already in the Treasury and to be expended by the School Committee.

Under Article 27 – It was voted to authorize the School Committee to dispose of the old North Prov School House near McLarney's Square.

Under Article 28 – It was voted that the Town accept and allow King Street so-called as laid out by the Selectmen on Jan. 25 1926 and shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk. Without any expense to the abutters.

Under Article 29 – It was voted that the Town allow an extension of Evergreen Street as laid out by the Selectmen on Jan. 25 1926

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and shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk.

Under Article 30 – It was voted that the Town allow and accept Kew Fletcher Street, as laid out by the Selectmen on Jan. 25 1926 and shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk.

Under Article 31 – It was voted that the Town accept and allow Fern Street, as laid out by the Selectmen on Jan. 25 1926 and shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk.

Under Article 32 – It was voted that the Town accept and allow Albina St. as laid out by the Selectmen on Jan 25 1926 and shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk.

Under Article 33 – It was voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $1000.00 for the purpose of grading Wilson Street.

Under Article 34 – It was voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for the purpose of purchasing six reflex beacons for the Street Lights.

Under Article 35 – It was voted that the Town appoint and the following Committee is hereby appointed, the three members of the Park Commission, William Shanks and Arnold C. Perham to consider and report at a future meeting as to what change or improvements, if any, should be made in the

Public Common at Chelmsford Centre, together with an estimate of the probable expense of such changes as they may suggest or recommend.

Under Article 36 – It was voted to appoint a Committee and the following Committee is hereby appointed, the School Committee, George W. Hay, Fred L. Fletcher, James R. Grant and George Rigby, to investigate and report as to the disposition or use of the old grammar school situated on the North Road at Chelmsford Centre. Said report to be made at, or before, the next Annual Town meeting.

Under Article 37 – It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $530.00 for the purpose of paying land damages growing out of the relocation of the Hollton Road so-called.

Under Article 38 – It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $575.00 for State Aid.

Under Article 39 – It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $2000.00 from money already in the hands of the Treasurer to be used as a Reserve Fund at the discretion of the Finance Committee as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40 Section 6.

It was voted the appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Fund the sum of $20000.00 to be applied toward appropriations of 1926, to be used by the Assessors for this purpose as free cash

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Voted to adjourn the meeting at 5.05 P.M.

Harold Pittman, Clerk. Walter Perham Moderator

## Officers Appointed By Selectmen Feb. 11 1926

| Office | Name | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Finance Committee | John C. Monahan | | |
| | C. George Armstrong | | |
| | Emile E. Paignon | Feb 17 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Edmund Fairburn | | |
| | James W. Stevens | March 24 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | James A. Grant | Feb 16 1926 | Joseph Pesbrey J.P. |
| Town Counsel | Frederic A. Fisher | | |
| Supt. Streets | William Shanks | Feb 15 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Animal Inspector | Arnold C. Perham | Mar. 8 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Fire Engineers | Arnold C. Perham | May 5 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Archibald Cooke | " " " | " " |
| | David Billson | " " " | " " |
| Supt. Moths | William Shanks | Feb 15 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Reg. of Voters | Walter T. Monahan | Feb 15 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Janitors of Pub. Bldgs. | John B. Wrigley, Centre | Feb 15 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Justin J. Potter, North | Feb 15 1926 | John H. Valentine N.P. |
| Sealer of Wghts. + Meas. | Curtis A. Aiken | Feb 17 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Forest Warden | Sidney E. Dupee | Feb 17 1926 | Town Clerk |

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| Supt. of Almshouse | Frank N. Hannaford | Feb 27 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Appraisers of Mrs. Property | Emile E. Paignon | Feb 17 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | John F. Parker | Sept 17 1926 | " " |
| | Albert H. Davis | Feb. 13 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Supt. of Burials of Unp. Soldiers & Sailors | Walter Perham | Mar. 27 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Regular Police | Donald F. Adams | Feb 23 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Charles F. Shugrue | Feb 15 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Special Police | George Small | Mar 31 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Guy Hazeltine | March 2 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Fred I. Vinal | March 18 1926 | " " |
| | Mabel Whitlock | March 20 1926 | Charles O. Stevens J.P. |
| Measurer of Sawdust | Pearl T. Durrell | Feb 13 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | C. Wallace McDonald | Feb 16 1926 | Norman P. Moran N.P. |
| Weighers of Coal | Harold D. MacDonald | Feb 17 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | John J. Dunigan | | |
| | William Hall | Feb 18 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | James P. Dunigan | | |
| | Mary C. Healy | Feb 19 1926 | Town Clerk. |
| | John A. Healy | | |
| | Edward T. Healy | Feb 19 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Arthur L. Healy | | |
| | Sarah Dunigan | | |

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| Weighers of Hay | Harold D. MacDonald | Feb 17 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | William H. Hall | Feb 18 1926 | " " |
| | Myron A. Queen | Feb 13 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Weighers of Merchandise | James F. Leahey | Feb 15 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | James Long | Feb 16 1926 | Walter Chase J.P. |
| | Walter Perham | Mar. 27 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Sinai Simard | Feb 15 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | James F. Dunigan | | |
| | Sidney E. Perham | Feb 16 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | James P. Dunigan | | |
| | Harold D. MacDonald | Feb 17 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | William Brown | Feb 16 1926 | Walter Chase J.P. |
| | Michael Scollan | | |
| | Mary C. Healy | Feb 19 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Edward T. Healy | Feb 19 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Joseph Hehir | Mar. 20 1926 | Walter Chase J.P. |
| Measurers of Lumber | Myron A. Queen | Feb 13 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | | |
| | Herbert C. Sweetser | Feb 17 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Pearl T. Durrell | Feb 13 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Arthur LaPrice | Feb 13 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | James A. Berton | Feb 13 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Francis O. Dutton | Apr. 7 1926 | " " |
| | Edward B. Russell | Feb 13 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Walter Edwards | | |
| | Carl Dunning | March 17 1926 | J. P. Moore J.P. |
| | C. Wallace MacDonald | Feb 16 1926 | Norman P. Moore N.P. |
| | Herbert C. Sweetser | | |
| | Joseph Erwin | | |

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| Measurers of Wood | Ervin W. Sweetser | Feb. 23 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Myron A. Queen | Feb 13 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Hosmer Sweetser | Feb 23 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | James F. Dunigan | | |
| | Pearl T. Durrell | Feb 13 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | | |
| | C. Wallace McDonald | Feb 16 1926 | Herman B. Mann NP |
| | Herbert C. Sweeter | Feb 17 '26 | Town Clerk |
| Weighers of Sand Gravel | Robert. E. Bliss | | |
| | James W. Stevens | March 24 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Fence Viewers | Herbert C. Sweetser | Feb 17 '26 | Town Clerk |
| | George Small | | |
| | George A. McNulty | | |
| Meat Inspectors | Wm S. Hall | Apr. 16 1926 | Town Clerk |
| | Winton C. Gale | " 15 " | " " |
| | Albert S. Park | " " " | " " |

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Warrant For Special Town Meeting

At Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre.
Thursday Evening. April 29 1926

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.

To Harold F. Adams, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall, at Chelmsford Centre on Thursday, the Twenty Ninth day of April current, at 8 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate an additional sum for general highway purposes: or act in relation thereto.

Article 2. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifty ($250.00) dollars or what other sum, for the repairing of public buildings, or act in relation there to.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer, the sum of forty three and 11/100 dollars ($43.11) with which to meet unpaid bills for 1925; or act in

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relation thereto

Article 4 – To recieve and act upon the report of the Special Committee appointed at the last annual Town meeting to consider and report what change or improvements, if any, should be made in the public Common at Chelmsford Centre.

Article 5 – To receive and act upon the report of the Special Committee appointed at the last annual Town meeting to investigate and report as to the best use or disposition to be made of the old grammar school house situated on the North Road at Chelmsford Centre.

Article 6 – To see if the Town will raise and appropriate any, and if any what sum or sums for the purpose of carrying out the recommendations of the Committee on the Public Common to which reference is made in Article 4 and the recommendations of the Committee on the Old Grammar school to which reference is made in the preceding article; or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford and at the Golden Cove School House, Westland seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting

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Hereof Fail Not, and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twenty first day of April, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and twenty six

George Rigby
Robert W. Barrie
Ralph P. Adams
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing Warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than Seven days before the time of said meeting, as directed by vote of the Town, and by the foregoing order.

Arnold F. Adams
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

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# Special Town Meeting
# April 29 1926

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant at the Upper Town Hall, at Chelmsford Centre, Thursday Evening April 29 1926 at 8 o'clock P.M. the following business was transacted, To Wit:

The meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Perham and the Warrant Read by Town Clerk Harold C. Pettigrew

Under Article 1 – On a motion made by George Rigby it was voted to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $8000.00 as an additional sum for highway general purposes.

Under Article 2 – On a motion made by George Rigby it was voted to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of $250.00 for the purpose of repairing public buildings.

Under Article 3 – On a motion made by George Rigby it was voted to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Fund the sum of $43.11 for the purpose of paying unpaid bills of 1925

Under Article 4 William Shanks reported for the Committee appointed at the last Annual Town Meeting, for the purpose of investigating the advisability of grading and improving the Common at Chelmsford

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Centre, Mr. Shanks reported that the Committee desired to have grade stakes set so as to get an obtain an estimate of the cost of grading the Common, and that the Committee would at a later meeting make a further report of its doings. It was voted to accept this report as a report of progress.

Under Article 5 - Voted to dismiss this Article.

Under Article 6 - It was voted to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency account the sum of $30.00 to be used by the Committee on improving the Common at Chelmsford Centre for the purpose of establishing grade lines.

Voted to adjourn at 8.19 P.M.

Harold Patterson
Town Clerk

Walter Perham
Moderator

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Warrant for Special Town Meeting
at Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre
Wednesday Evening, June 9 1926

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss.

To Harold F. Adams, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre, on Wednesday, the ninth day of June, 1926 at 8 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Article 1 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Ninety One and 50/100 dollars ($91.50) with which to pay premium on additional bond of the Town Treasurer and Collector of Taxes; or act in relation thereto.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Thirty nine and 37/100 dollars ($39.37) with which to reimburse Walter N. Marinel for 1925 taxes on land conveyed to the Town as a site for a fire house at North Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

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Article 3 - To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Seventy Five Dollars ($75.00) or what other sum, for the purpose of completing the record of the war veterans of the Town of Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto

Article 4 - To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Four Hundred Dollars ($400.00/100) or what other sum as an additional appropriation for the Department of the Forest Fire Warden, or act in relation thereto

Article 5 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money with which to finish the athletic field at the rear of the High School, the same to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen; or act in relation thereto.

Article 6 - To see if the Town will accept and allow Marion St. as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article 7 - To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to petition the County Commissioners to relocate and define the Russell Mill Road, so called or act in relation thereto.

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Article 8 - In the event of affirmative action under the preceding article, to see what sum, if any, the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to use on the Russell Mill Road; or act in relation thereto.

Article 9 - To hear the report of the School Committee as to plans and specifications for a new heating system in the two school buildings on Princeton Street, North Chelmsford and in the Lowell School at West Chelmsford or act in relation thereto

Article 10 - To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer, or will raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Dollars, or what other sum, for the purpose of installing two new heating units in the two school buildings on Princeton Street, North Chelmsford, and one new heating unit in the Lowell School at West Chelmsford, or act in relation thereto.

Article 11 - To see if the Town will vote to authorize the School Committee to sell and convey the Old North Row School, so called, including both land and buildings, and being the same conveyed to the Town by Asa and Elbridge G. Spalding by deed dated June 2 1875 and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds Book 110 Page 352; or act in relation thereto.

Article 12. To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to procure plans and specifications for a fire house at North

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Chelmsford, and will raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Dollars, or what other sum with which to meet the expenses of such Committee or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested Copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Centre of the Town South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford, and at the School House East Chelmsford and at the Golden Cove School House, Westlands seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Thereof Fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at the time and place for holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this first day of June in the year of Our Lord Nineteen hundred and twenty Six

George Riley
Robert W Barris
Ralph P. Adams
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing Warrant by posting attested Copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town

Arnold F. Adams
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

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Special Town Meeting
June 9 1926

At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, qualified to vote in Town affairs, held pursuant to Warrant at the Upper Town Hall, at Chelmsford Centre, Wednesday Evening June 9 1926 at 8. P.M. the following business was transacted, To Wit.

The meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Perham and on a motion made by Selectman George Rigby the reading of the Warrant by the Town Clerk was waived.

Under Article #1 — Voted to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of ninety one and 50/100 for the purpose of paying premium on additional bond of the Town Treasurer and Collector of Taxes as required by law.

Under Article #2 — Voted to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Thirty nine and 37/100 dollars for the purpose of reimbursing Walter N. Marinel for 1925 taxes on land conveyed to the Town as a site for a fire house at North Chelmsford.

Under Article #3 — Voted to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Seventy Five dollars for the purpose of completing the record of World War Veterans, the money to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

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Under Article #4 — Voted to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Four Hundred Dollars for use of the Forest Warden Department.

Under Article #5 — Voted that a Committee of five be appointed to consist of the following, The School Committee, Mr. Roy Clough, and Mr. Leonard S. Mac Elroy to prepare a plan and secure estimates on proposed athletic field on the High School Grounds, at Chelmsford Centre, to report at a future meeting, and that the sum of one hundred dollars be appropriated from money already in the hands of the Treasurer for the expenses of this Committee.

Under Article #6 — Voted that the Town accept and allow Marim Street as laid out by the Selectmen as shown in their report duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk.

Under Article #7. Voted to request the Selectmen to petition the County Commissioners to relocate and define the Russell Mill Road.

Under Article #8. Voted that the sum of Three Hundred Dollars be appropriated from money already in the hands of the Treasurer for the purpose of this Article, same to be expended only after the relocation of the road by the County Commissioners.

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Under Article 9 Mr. Frank Lupien reported for the School Committee on plans and specifications for a new heating system in the two School Buildings on Princeton Street, North Chelmsford and in the Lurvey School at West Chelmsford. Mr. Lupien said that the Committee had engaged the services of a competent Engineer and had plans & specifications drawn, also they had secured estimates on the same, the lowest being $11,688.00, but to cover any extra cost such as metal covered doors for basement entrances the Committee would ask the voters to appropriate $12,500.00 Mr. Lupien also offered to explain and answer any questions that any voter wished to ask. The report was received and placed on file.

Under Article #10 – Voted to appropriate from the Excess and Efficiency Account the sum of $12,500.00/100 for the purpose of installing two heating units in the two school buildings on Princeton Street, North Chelmsford and one new heating unit in the Lurvey School at West Chelmsford, the same to be expended under the supervision of the School Committee.

Under Article 11 – Voted that the Town authorize the School Committee to sell and convey in the name and behalf of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford the land as well as the buildings of the old North Row School so-called, the same having been conveyed to the Town by Asa and Elbridge G. Spalding by deed dated June 2 1875 and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds Book 110 Page 352

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the same to be sold as per vote taken under Article 16 at the Annual Town meeting held Feb 8 1926

Under Article 12 - Voted to appoint a Committee of three namely Harry L. Shedd, Edward J. Robbins and Bayard C. Hean to procure plan and specifications for a Fire House at North Chelmsford and report at the next annual town meeting, and that the sum of $60.00 be appropriated from money already in the hands of the Treasurer for this purpose.

Voted to adjourn at 9.15 P.m.

Harold C. Pettibone, Clerk. Walter Parham, Moderator

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# Warrant for Special Town Meeting

At Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre, Monday Evening Aug. 23 '26

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex SS.

To Harold F. Adams, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall, at Chelmsford Centre, on Monday, the twenty-third day of August, current, at 8 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate, or appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer, a sufficient sum of money for the purpose of grading and finishing the grounds at the new Grammar school on Wilson st. equipping the grounds and school building and laying a cement sidewalk along Wilson Street; or act in relation thereto

Article 2. To see if the Town will appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of thirty-five dollars ($35.00) with which to purchase a typewriter for the office of the Town Accountant; or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested Copies thereof at the Post

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Offices in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford, and at the School House East Chelmsford and at the Golden Cove School House, Westlands seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Hereof Fail Not, and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 13th day of August, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and twenty six

George Rigby
Robert W. Barris
Ralph P. Adams
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing Warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Arnold F. Adams
Constable of the Town of
Chelmsford

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# Special Town Meeting

## August 23 1926

At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, qualified to vote in Town affairs, held pursuant to Warrant at the Upper Town Hall, at Chelmsford Centre, Monday Evening, August 23 1926 at 8 P.M. the following business was transacted, To Wit:

The meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Perham and the Warrant read by Town Clerk Harold C. Petterson.

Under Article #1 – It was voted that the sum of $4825.00 be appropriated out of money already in the hands of the Treasurer for the purpose of grading and finishing the grounds at the new grammar school on Wilson Street and equipping the grounds and school building and laying a cement sidewalk along Wilson Street, the same to be expended by the committee already having in charge the building of said school house

Under Article #2 – It was voted to appropriate $35.00 for the purpose of purchasing a new typewriter for the office of the Town Accountant, the same to be appropriated from money already in the hand of the Treasurer

Voted to adjourn this meeting at 9.40 P.M.

Walter Perham Moderator  Harold C. Petterson, Town Clerk.

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Precinct Election Officers appointed by the Selectmen to serve one year ending Sept. 1 1927

| Office | Name | Prec. | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Warden | Daniel E. Haley | 1 | Sept 10 1926 | J. H. Haley J.P. |
| Clerk | John Pratt | 1 | Sept 10 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Dep Warden | Walter H McMahon | 1 | Sept 11 1926 | H C. Swaten J.P. |
| Inspector | Francis J. Sheehan | 1 | Sept 11 1926 | " " " |
| Dep Clerk | Alpegonde Peterson | 1 | Sept 10 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | Annie C. Daris | 1 | Sept 10 1926 | " " |
| Inspector | Edith A. Perham | 1 | Sept 10 1926 | " " |
| Inspector | Bessie A. Perham | 1 | Sept 10 1926 | " " |
| Warden | James McQuade | 2 | Sept 14 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | Georgiana Queen | 2 | " " " | " " |
| Dep Warden | Donald Callahan | 2 | " " " | " " |
| Dep. Clerk | Maud Shedd | 2 | Sept 5 1926 | Wm T. Picken J.P. |
| Inspector | Elizabeth G. Daley | 2 | " 14 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | Mary K. Daley | 2 | " " " | " " |
| Inspector | Mary Murphy | 2 | " " " | " " |
| Inspector | Harriett Buchanan | 2 | " " " | " " |
| Warden | Bayard C. Dean | 3 | | |
| Clerk | Loren Ellingwood | 3 | Sept 10 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Dep Warden | Lottie Brown | 3 | " " " | L J. Ellinwood |
| Dep Clerk | Catherine D. Riney | 3 | " " " | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | Rita G. Anderson | 3 | " " " | L J Ellinwood |
| Inspector | James Savage | 3 | " " " | " " |
| Warden | Daniel Reardon | 4 | Sept 9 1926 | Wm F. McColough J.P. |
| Clerk | Lewis H. Jennison | 4 | Sept 5 1926 | James E. Sibam J.P. |
| Dep Warden | Lydia S. Barris | 4 | Sept 14 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Dep. Clerk | Lillian Fielding | 4 | Sept 10 1926 | Samuel F Cunningham J.P. |
| Inspector | Charles Finnick | 4 | Sept 11 1926 | H Swaten J.P. |
| Inspector | Mary L. Quinn | 4 | Sept 9 1926 | E. J. Robbins J.P. |

| Office | Name | Prec | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Warden | John P. Scoboria | 5 | Sept 10 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | Sidney Dupee | 5 | " " " | " " |
| Dep Warden | George L. Waite | 5 | " " " | Wm E. Bellerville J.P. |
| Dep. Clerk | Caroline Wright | 5 | " " " | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | John F. Parker | 5 | " " " | " " |
| Inspector | Ethel M. Wright | 5 | " " " | " " |
| | | | | |
| Warden | George A. McIntosh | 6 | Sept 14 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | Eleanor Parker | 6 | Sept 9 1926 | John J Pickman J.P. |
| Dep. Warden | Robert Henderson | 6 | Sept 14 1926 | Town Clerk |
| Dep. Clerk | Florrie Walton | 6 | Sept 8 1926 | R. W. Emerson J.P. |
| Inspector | Raymond T. Osborn | 6 | Sept 14 '26 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | John P Quirk | 6 | Sept 9 1926 | " " |

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# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex SS.

To Harold F. Adams, Constable of the Town of Chelmsford.
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in their several Polling Places, viz:

Precinct 1, Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre
Precinct 2, Town Hall, North Chelmsford
Precinct 3, Town Hall, West Chelmsford
Precinct 4, School House, East Chelmsford
Precinct 5, School House South Chelmsford
Precinct 6, Golden Cove School House, Westlands

Tuesday the Fourteenth day of September 1926 at 3 o'clock, P. M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

Governor for this Commonwealth
Lieutenant Governor for this Commonwealth
Secretary of the Commonwealth for this Commonwealth
Treasurer and Receiver General " " "
Auditor of the Commonwealth " " "
Attorney General " " "
Senator in Congress (to fill vacancy) " " "
Representative in Congress " Fifth Cong. District
" " " (to fill vacancy) " Eighth " "
Councillor " Sixth Councillor "
Senator " Eighth Senatorial "
One Representative in General Court " Eleventh Representative "
One County Commissioner Middlesex County
" " " (to fill vacancy) " "

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Register of Probate and Insolvency (to fill vacancy) Middlesex County
Two Associate Commissioners " "
District Attorney for Northern District
Sheriff " Middlesex County

And for the Election of the following officers:

District member of State Committee for each political party for the Eighth Senatorial District.
Members of the Republican Town Committee
Members of the Democratic " "
Delegates to State Conventions of the Republican Party
" " " " " Democratic "
All the above candidates and officers are to be voted for upon one ballot.

The polls will be open from 3 P.M. to 8 P.M.
And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Office in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford North Chelmsford and West Chelmsford, and at the School House East Chelmsford and at the Golden Cove School House, Westlands, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting

Hereof Fail Not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding said meeting

Given under our hands this first day of September, A.D. 1926

George Rigby
Ralph P. Adams
Robert W. Bennie
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Return

I have served the foregoing Warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said meeting, as directed by vote of the Town

Arnold F. Adams
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

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# Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting held on Sept 14 1926 at the six precincts in the Town of Chelmsford for persons qualified to vote in State Primaries the following Candidates received the number of votes set against their respective names

| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Governor | Alvan T. Fuller of 81 Appleton St. Malden | R | 460 | 219 | 59 | 42 | 44 | 140 | 964 |
| | Blanks | | 42 | 33 | 8 | 9 | 3 | 11 | 106 |
| Lt. Governor | Frank G. Allen of 289 Walpole St. Norwood | R | 423 | 208 | 55 | 42 | 41 | 126 | 895 |
| | Blanks | | 79 | 44 | 12 | 9 | 6 | 25 | 175 |
| Secretary | Frederick W. Cook of 75 Benton Rd. Somerville | R | 396 | 192 | 51 | 36 | 43 | 122 | 840 |
| | Blanks | | 106 | 60 | 16 | 15 | 4 | 29 | 230 |
| Treasurer | William S. Youngman of 39 Williston Rd. Brookline | R | 366 | 186 | 51 | 32 | 42 | 121 | 798 |
| | Blanks | | 136 | 66 | 16 | 19 | 5 | 30 | 27[illegible] |
| Auditor | Alonzo B. Cook of 27 Wales St. Boston | R | 372 | 184 | 47 | 34 | 39 | 116 | 792 |
| | Blanks | | 130 | 68 | 20 | 18 | 8 | 35 | 278 |
| Attorney General | Elijah Adlow of 35 Elm Hill Park, Boston | R | 54 | 26 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 17 | 106 |
| | Alexander Lincoln of 265 Beacon St. Boston | R | 59 | 25 | 8 | 4 | 15 | 17 | 128 |
| | Arthur K. Reading of 57 Francis Ave. Cambridge | R | 227 | 166 | 43 | 40 | 25 | 96 | 59[illegible] |
| | Blanks | | 162 | 35 | 13 | 3 | 5 | 21 | 239 |
| Senator in Congress | William M. Butler of 231 Commonwealth Ave Boston | R | 396 | 195 | 46 | 31 | 39 | 122 | 829 |
| | Blanks | | 106 | 57 | 21 | 20 | 8 | 29 | 241 |
| Congressman | John Boardman of 22 Elm St. Concord | R | 29 | 32 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 76 |
| | Edith N. Rogers of 444 Andover St. Lowell | R | 456 | 210 | 61 | 47 | 40 | 145 | 95[illegible] |
| | Blanks | | 27 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 3[illegible] |
| Councillor | Harvey L. Boutwell of 209 Summer St. Malden | R | 92 | 48 | 10 | 8 | 7 | 33 | 198 |
| | Joseph F. Dyer of 67 Forest St. Medford | R | 14 | 9 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 36 |
| | Charles A. Kimball of King St. Littleton | R | 272 | 121 | 36 | 22 | 29 | 77 | 55[illegible] |
| | Blanks | | 124 | 74 | 17 | 18 | 10 | 36 | 27[illegible] |
| Senator 8th Middlesex Dist. | E. Gaston Campbell 15 Fred St. Lowell | R | 44 | 40 | 8 | 5 | 9 | 7 | 11[illegible] |
| | Walter Perham - Chelmsford | R | 433 | 189 | 57 | 43 | 37 | 138 | 89[illegible] |
| | Louis W. Richard 11 Apple St. Lowell | R | 6 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1[illegible] |
| | Blanks | | 19 | 15 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 4[illegible] |
| Representative in Gen. Court 11th Mdlsx. Dist. | Louis Pfeifer. South Rd. Bedford | R | 129 | 50 | 8 | 0 | 5 | 15 | 20[illegible] |
| | Edward J. Robbins - Westford St. Chelmsford | R | 338 | 174 | 57 | 47 | 41 | 120 | 77[illegible] |
| | Blanks | | 35 | 28 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 16 | 8[illegible] |

| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| County | Erson B. Barlow 85 Sanders Ave. Lowell | R | 377 | 179 | 46 | 34 | 35 | 120 | 791 |
| Commissioner | Blanks | | 125 | 73 | 21 | 17 | 12 | 31 | 279 |
| Associate | Sidney L. Bishop 32 High St. Everett | R | 65 | 23 | 6 | 7 | 4 | 22 | 127 |
| Commissioners | Sherman H. Fletcher Main St. Westford | R | 345 | 168 | 54 | 28 | 36 | 160 | 731 |
| | Daniel D. Gorman 48 Burnside Ave Somerville | R | 3 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 22 |
| | Harry L. Haseltine 18 Lorell Street Somerville | R | 21 | 30 | 8 | 7 | 7 | 14 | 87 |
| | John M. Keyes 33 Monument Street Concord | R | 200 | 86 | 22 | 16 | 19 | 58 | 401 |
| | Blanks | | 370 | 186 | 43 | 44 | 28 | 101 | 772 |
| District | Robert T. Bushnell 155 Summer St Somerville | R | 400 | 185 | 48 | 39 | 43 | 121 | 836 |
| Attorney | Blanks | | 102 | 67 | 19 | 12 | 4 | 30 | 234 |
| Sherrif | John R. Fairburn 50 Thorndike St Cambridge | R | 368 | 178 | 45 | 33 | 43 | 118 | 785 |
| | Blanks | | 134 | 74 | 22 | 18 | 4 | 33 | 285 |
| County | Nathaniel I. Bowditch Edmands Rd. Framingham | R | 247 | 109 | 29 | 25 | 25 | 76 | 511 |
| Commissioner | Daniel F. McBride 102 2nd St. Medford | R | 23 | 22 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 62 |
| (to fill vacancy) | Harry F. Peck 18 Byron St. Wakefield | R | 64 | 34 | 11 | 4 | 10 | 22 | 145 |
| | Blanks | | 168 | 87 | 23 | 19 | 9 | 46 | 352 |
| Register | William G. Andrew 53 Elm St. Somerville | R | 88 | 61 | 11 | 10 | 10 | 26 | 206 |
| of Probate | Loring P. Jordan 12 Church St. Wakefield | R | 163 | 66 | 21 | 10 | 14 | 43 | 317 |
| and Insolvency | Russell A. Wood 11 Whittier St. Cambridge | R | 107 | 59 | 15 | 17 | 14 | 38 | 250 |
| | Blanks | | 144 | 66 | 20 | 14 | 9 | 44 | 297 |
| State | Alfred W. Hartford Westford | R | 368 | 163 | 44 | 31 | 36 | 95 | 737 |
| Committee | Blanks | | 134 | 89 | 23 | 20 | 11 | 56 | 333 |
| Delegates | Adeline E. Carll Chelmsford | R | 24 | 78 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 102 |
| to | Emma A. Dane " | R | 23 | 78 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 101 |
| State | Grace C. Perham " | R | 23 | 78 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 101 |
| Convention | Sidney E. Dupee " | R | 23 | 79 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 102 |
| | John H. Valentine " | R | 23 | 78 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 101 |
| | Royal Shawcross " | R | 23 | 78 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 101 |
| | Blanks | | 2873 | 1043 | 402 | 306 | 282 | 906 | 5812 |
| Town | Roy A. Clough " | R | 26 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |
| Committee | Annie C. Davis " | R | 26 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |
| | George T. McElroy " | R | 26 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |
| | Bessie L. Perham " | R | 26 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |
| | Grace C. Perham " | R | 27 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 115 |
| | Walter Perham " | R | 27 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 115 |
| | Edward J. Robbins " | R | 27 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 115 |
| | Sinai Simard " | R | 27 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 115 |
| | Herbert C. Sweetser " | R | 25 | 89 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |

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| Office | Name of Candidate | | Political Party | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Town Committee | George F. Cutler | No. Chelmsford | R | 26 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |
| | Abbott L. Emery | " " | R | 26 | 89 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 115 |
| | Ernest A. Ferron | " " | R | 26 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |
| | Ella M. Nath | " " | R | 26 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |
| | Harold C. Petterson | " " | R | 26 | 89 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 115 |
| | Nellie R. Picken | " " | R | 26 | 89 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 115 |
| | George Rigby | " " | R | 26 | 89 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 115 |
| | Mary A. Russell | " " | R | 26 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |
| | Royal Shawcross | " " | R | 26 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |
| | John H. Valentine | " " | R | 26 | 89 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 115 |
| | J. Earl Wotton | " " | R | 26 | 90 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 116 |
| | Jennie S. Brown | W. " | R | 26 | 89 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 115 |
| | Archibald Cook | " " | R | 26 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |
| | Robert W. Barris | E " | R | 26 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |
| | Harry O. Buxton | " " | R | 26 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |
| | Sidney E. Dupee | S. " | R | 26 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |
| | Caroline Wright | " " | R | 26 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |
| | Ralph A. Berg | Westlands | R | 26 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |
| | Adeline E. Carll | " | R | 26 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |
| | Emma A. Dane | " | R | 26 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |
| | George A. McIntosh | " | R | 26 | 88 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 |
| | Blanks | | | 14277 | 4911 | 2010 | 1530 | 1410 | 4530 | 3131 |

Harold C. Petterson
Town Clerk

| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Governor | William A. Gaston 97 Bay State Rd Boston | D | 13 | 29 | 1 | 19 | 1 | 2 | 65 |
| | Blanks | | 2 | 11 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 22 |
| Lieutenant | Harry J. Dooley 62 Chester St Boston | D | 10 | 23 | 1 | 15 | 1 | 2 | 52 |
| Governor | Joseph B. Ely 66 Broad St. Westfield | D | 2 | 8 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 14 |
| | Blanks | | 3 | 9 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 21 |
| Secretary | Frank W. Caranaugh 110 Parker St Newton | D | 12 | 27 | 1 | 20 | 1 | 3 | 64 |
| | Blanks | | 3 | 13 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 23 |
| Treasurer | Daniel England 175 Wendell Ave Pittsfield | D | 12 | 25 | 1 | 20 | 1 | 2 | 61 |
| | Blanks | | 3 | 15 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 26 |
| Auditor | Strabo V. Claggett 1820 Washington St Newton | D | 12 | 23 | 1 | 18 | 1 | 2 | 57 |
| | Blanks | | 3 | 17 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 30 |
| Attorney | John E. Swift 7 Parker Hill Ave Milford | D | 6 | 25 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 44 |
| General | Harold Williams, Jr. 79 Walnut Pl. Brookline | D | 4 | 4 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 17 |
| | Blanks | | 5 | 11 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 26 |
| Senator in | David I. Walsh 37 Day St Fitchburg | D | 13 | 37 | 2 | 22 | 1 | 4 | 79 |
| Congress | Blanks | | 2 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| Congressman | James M. Hurley 237 Lincoln St Marlborough | D | 10 | 24 | 2 | 16 | 1 | 4 | 57 |
| 5th District | Blanks | | 5 | 16 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 30 |
| Councillor | No Candidate | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| 5th District | Blanks | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Senator | William E. Martin Hemlock St Dracut | D | 10 | 26 | 2 | 18 | 1 | 3 | 60 |
| 5th Middlesex Dist. | Blanks | | 5 | 14 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 27 |
| Rep. in Gen. | No Candidate | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Court | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| County | No Candidate | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Commissioner | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Associate | No Candidate | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Commissioners | | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| District | Patrick J. Delaney 42 Amory St Cambridge | D | 11 | 26 | 2 | 18 | 1 | 3 | 61 |
| Attorney | Blanks | | 4 | 14 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 26 |
| Sheriff | No Candidate | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| County Com. | Daniel F. McBride 167 Second St. Medford | D | 11 | 23 | 1 | 20 | 1 | 3 | 59 |
| To fill Vacancy | Blanks | | 4 | 17 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 28 |
| Register of | John J. Bulter 6 Bartley St. Wakefield | D | 11 | 20 | 1 | 19 | 1 | 3 | 55 |
| Probate + Insolvency | Blanks | | 4 | 20 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 32 |
| State | No Candidate | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Committee | | | | | | | | | |

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| Office | Name of Candidate | Political Party | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Delegates to State Convention | John E. Harrington Princeton St | D | 11 | 30 | 2 | 16 | 1 | 4 | 64 |
| | Frank J. Garvey " " | D | 9 | 30 | 2 | 15 | 1 | 4 | 61 |
| | William H Quigley " " | D | 11 | 30 | 2 | 18 | 1 | 4 | 66 |
| | James B. McQuaid " " | D | 9 | 30 | 2 | 17 | 1 | 4 | 63 |
| | John Conaton Woodbine St | D | 9 | 30 | 2 | 15 | 1 | 4 | 61 |
| | Daniel E Haley Bridge St | D | 10 | 30 | 2 | 17 | 1 | 4 | 65 |
| | Karl M. Perham Dalton Rd. | D | 12 | 30 | 2 | 15 | 0 | 4 | 63 |
| | George A McNulty Brick Kiln Rd. | D | 10 | 30 | 2 | 14 | 1 | 4 | 61 |
| | Blanks | | 39 | 160 | 0 | 73 | 1 | 0 | 273 |
| Town Committee | John E. Harrington | D | 3 | 25 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 35 |
| | Frank J. Garvey | D | 3 | 25 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 35 |
| | Daniel E. Haley | D | 3 | 25 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 35 |
| | Annie Devine | D | 3 | 25 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 35 |
| | Edwin Coburn | D | 3 | 25 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 35 |
| | James Savage | D | 3 | 25 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 35 |
| | George McNulty | D | 3 | 25 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 35 |
| | John Conaton | D | 3 | 25 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 35 |
| | John Quirk | D | 3 | 25 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 35 |
| | Karl Perham | D | 3 | 25 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 35 |
| | Blanks | | 120 | 150 | 10 | 190 | 10 | 40 | 520 |

Harold Pettiven
Town Clerk

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# Warrant for State Elections

## November 2 1926

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.
To Howard F. Adams, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford,

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in elections and also in town affairs to meet in their several polling places, viz:

Precinct 1, Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre
Precinct 2. Town Hall. North Chelmsford
Precinct 3, Historical Hall West Chelmsford
Precinct 4. School House East Chelmsford
Precinct 5, Liberty Hall. South Chelmsford
Precinct 6. Golden Cove School House Westlands

On Tuesday, the Second day of November, 1926 being the first Tuesday after the first Monday in said month, of 12100 M. for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes for the following officers:

Governor for this Commonwealth
Lieutenant Governor for this Commonwealth
Secretary " " "
Treasurer " " "
Auditor " " "
Attorney General " " "
Senator in Congress (to fill vacancy) " "
Representative in Congress for Fifth Congressional District

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Councillor for Sixth Councillor District
Senator " 8th Senatorial "
Representative in General Court for 11th Representative "
County Commissioner for Middlesex County
Two Associate " " " "
District Attorney " " "
Sheriff " " "
Register of Probate & Insolvency " " "
County Commissioner (to fill vacancy) " "

and to act on the following matters
Acceptance of the following "Proposed Amendment to the Constitution"

Article of Amendment

Article II of the articles of amendment to the constitution of the Commonwealth is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following new paragraph:-

Nothing in this article shall prevent the general court from establishing in any corporate town or towns in this Commonwealth containing more than six thousand inhabitants a form of town government providing for a town meeting limited to such inhabitants of the town as may be elected to meet deliberate, act and vote in the exercise of the corporate powers of the town subject to such restrictions and regulations as the general court may prescribe; provided, that such establishment be with the consent, and on the application of a majority of the inhabitants of such Town, present and voting thereon, pursuant to a vote at a meeting duly warned and holden for the purpose.

Acceptance of the following "Law Proposed by Initiative Petition": proposed law

An act relative to the veterans' preference

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in employment in the civil service".

The polls will be open from 12:00 m to 8:00 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty fifth day of October, A.D. 1926.

George Rigby
Robert W Barrie
Ralph P Adams
Selectmen of Chelmsford

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# State Election Nov. 2 1926

At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in State Elections and Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant duly posted in the six precincts in the Town on Tuesday the Second day of November 1926 from 12 m to 8 P.M. The following persons recieved the number of votes set against their respective names:
As follows:

| Office | Candidate | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Tota |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Governor | Alvan T. Fuller-of Malden- Rep. | 664 | 481 | 89 | 95 | 93 | 206 | 162 |
| | William A Gaston-of Boston- Dem | 68 | 289 | 11 | 90 | 8 | 24 | 49 |
| | Walter S. Hutchins-of Greenfield-Soc. | 0 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 13 |
| | Samuel Leger-of Boston-Soc. L. P. | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 |
| | Lewis Marks-of Boston-Work. P. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| | Blanks | 3 | 14 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| | | 736 | 791 | 105 | 193 | 102 | 237 | 2164 |
| Lieutenant Governor | Frank G. Allen-of Norwood- Rep. | 647 | 454 | 86 | 89 | 88 | 204 | 156 |
| | Daniel T. Blessington-of Somerville-S.L.P. | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| | Albert Oddie-of Brockton- Work. P. | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 7 |
| | Dennis F. Reagan-of Brockton- Soc. | 3 | 8 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 25 |
| | Edmond P. Talbot-of Fall River -Dem | 69 | 265 | 9 | 90 | 12 | 25 | 47 |
| | Blanks | 14 | 57 | 4 | 9 | 2 | 3 | 89 |
| | | 736 | 791 | 105 | 193 | 102 | 237 | 2165 |
| Secretary | Harry J. Canter-of Boston-Work. P. | 16 | 16 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 49 |
| | Frank W. Caranaugh-of Newton-Dem. | 61 | 259 | 13 | 81 | 12 | 24 | 45 |
| | Frederick W. Cook-of Somerville-Rep. | 614 | 409 | 74 | 84 | 83 | 187 | 145 |
| | Stephen S. Surridge-of Lynn-S.L.P. | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 7 |
| | Edith M. Williams-of Brookline-Soc. | 6 | 10 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 6 | 31 |
| | Blanks | 38 | 92 | 10 | 20 | 5 | 11 | 176 |
| | | 736 | 791 | 105 | 193 | 102 | 237 | 2165 |
| Treasurer | Albert Sprague Coolidge-of Pittsfield-Soc | 5 | 12 | 5 | 8 | 1 | 9 | 40 |
| | Winfield A. Dwyer-of Boston-Work. P. | 4 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 22 |
| | Daniel England-of Pittsfield- Dem | 59 | 234 | 6 | 77 | 13 | 22 | 411 |
| | Henry Hess- of Boston S. L. P. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 |
| | William S. Youngman-of Brookline-Rep. | 619 | 412 | 82 | 80 | 84 | 189 | 146 |
| | Blanks | 48 | 118 | 11 | 27 | 3 | 13 | 22 |
| | | 736 | 791 | 105 | 193 | 102 | 237 | 216 |

| Office | Candidate | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Auditor | Leon Arkin - of Boston - Soc. | 3 | 6 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 21 |
| | Strabo Y. Claggett - of Newton - Dem | 137 | 254 | 18 | 78 | 19 | 31 | 537 |
| | Alonzo B. Cook - of Boston - Rep. | 526 | 390 | 68 | 76 | 78 | 175 | 1313 |
| | Emma P. Hutchins - of Boston - Work. P. | 10 | 14 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 28 |
| | John R. MacKittrion - of Lowell - S.L.P. | 4 | 11 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 28 |
| | Blanks | 56 | 116 | 10 | 26 | 4 | 25 | 237 |
| | | 736 | 791 | 105 | 193 | 102 | 237 | 2164 |
| Attorney General | Isadore Harris - of Boston - S.L.P. | 5 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 16 |
| | Max Lerner - of Worcester - Work. P. | 6 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 23 |
| | Arthur K. Reading - of Cambridge - Rep. | 629 | 429 | 82 | 87 | 87 | 197 | 1511 |
| | John Weaver Sherman - of Boston - S.P. | 6 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 21 |
| | John E. Swift - of Milford - Dem | 48 | 232 | 7 | 78 | 11 | 18 | 394 |
| | Blanks | 42 | 111 | 11 | 17 | 3 | 15 | 199 |
| | | 736 | 791 | 105 | 193 | 102 | 237 | 2164 |
| Senator in Congress to fill vacancy | John J. Ballam - of Boston - Work. P. | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 7 |
| | William M. Butler - of Boston - Rep. | 601 | 381 | 75 | 74 | 80 | 184 | 1395 |
| | Washington Cook - of Sharon - Mod. of Vol. Act. | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 |
| | Alfred Baker Lewis - of Cambridge - Soc. | 4 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 19 |
| | David I. Walsh - of Fitchburg - Dem | 106 | 380 | 23 | 110 | 19 | 44 | 682 |
| | Blanks. | 21 | 20 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 5 | 55 |
| | | 736 | 791 | 105 | 193 | 102 | 237 | 2164 |
| Congressman 5th Dist. | James M. Hurley - of Marlborough - Dem | 43 | 208 | 11 | 46 | 11 | 10 | 329 |
| | Edith Nourse Rogers - of Lowell - Rep | 677 | 552 | 92 | 133 | 89 | 221 | 1764 |
| | Blanks | 16 | 31 | 2 | 14 | 2 | 6 | 71 |
| | | 736 | 791 | 105 | 193 | 102 | 237 | 2164 |
| Councillor 4th Dist. | Harvey L. Boutwell - of Malden. Rep. | 596 | 448 | 77 | 100 | 85 | 192 | 1498 |
| | Blanks | 140 | 343 | 28 | 93 | 17 | 45 | 666 |
| | | 736 | 791 | 105 | 193 | 102 | 237 | 2164 |
| Senator 8th Middlesex. Dist | William E. Martin - of Dracut - Dem | 74 | 241 | 12 | 62 | 15 | 21 | 425 |
| | Walter Perham of Chelmsford - Rep. | 618 | 453 | 84 | 107 | 86 | 208 | 1556 |
| | Blanks | 44 | 97 | 9 | 24 | 1 | 8 | 183 |
| | | 736 | 791 | 105 | 193 | 102 | 237 | 2164 |
| Rep. in Gen. Ct. 4th Middlesex. Dist | Edward J. Robbins - of Chelmsford Rep. | 564 | 504 | 91 | 116 | 92 | 203 | 1570 |
| | Blanks | 149 | 287 | 14 | 77 | 10 | 33 | 570 |
| | Frederick Lydiard | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 24 |
| | | 736 | 791 | 105 | 193 | 102 | 237 | 2164 |
| County Commissioner | Erson B. Barlow - of Lowell Rep. | 598 | 484 | 80 | 103 | 86 | 203 | 1554 |
| | Blanks | 138 | 307 | 25 | 90 | 16 | 34 | 610 |
| | | 736 | 791 | 105 | 193 | 102 | 237 | 2164 |

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| Office | Candidate | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Associate Co. Commissioners | Sherman H. Fletcher - of Westford - Rep. | 587 | 441 | 80 | 97 | 79 | 192 | 1476 |
| | John M. Keyes - of Concord - Rep. | 414 | 297 | 52 | 72 | 58 | 135 | 1028 |
| | Blanks | 471 | 844 | 78 | 217 | 67 | 147 | 1824 |
| | | 1472 | 1582 | 210 | 386 | 204 | 474 | 4328 |
| District Attorney | Robert T. Bushnell - of Somerville - Rep. | 624 | 434 | 81 | 85 | 89 | 206 | 1579 |
| | Patrick J. Delaney - of Cambridge - Dem | 52 | 245 | 8 | 85 | 6 | 21 | 417 |
| | Blanks | 60 | 112 | 16 | 23 | 7 | 10 | 228 |
| | | 736 | 791 | 105 | 193 | 102 | 237 | 2164 |
| Sheriff | John R. Fairbairn - of Cambridge - Rep | 601 | 440 | 77 | 104 | 82 | 203 | 1507 |
| | Blanks | 135 | 351 | 28 | 89 | 20 | 34 | 657 |
| | | 736 | 791 | 105 | 193 | 102 | 237 | 2164 |
| Co. Commissioner (to fill Vacancy) | Nathaniel I. Bowditch of Framingham Rep | 601 | 400 | 75 | 81 | 82 | 189 | 1428 |
| | Daniel F. McBride - of Medford - Dem | 53 | 236 | 9 | 77 | 8 | 23 | 406 |
| | Blanks | 82 | 155 | 21 | 35 | 12 | 25 | 330 |
| | | 736 | 791 | 105 | 193 | 102 | 237 | 2164 |
| Reg. of Probate + Insolvency (to fill Vacancy) | John J. Butler - of Wakefield Dem. | 66 | 345 | 13 | 73 | 10 | 34 | 541 |
| | Loring P. Jordan - of Wakefield Rep | 586 | 388 | 76 | 79 | 80 | 179 | 1388 |
| | Blanks | 84 | 158 | 16 | 41 | 12 | 24 | 235 |
| | | 736 | 791 | 105 | 193 | 102 | 237 | 2164 |
| Question #1 | Shall an amendment to the Constitution which authorizes the General Court to establish in any Corporate town containing more than six thousand inhabitants a form of town government providing for town meetings limited to such inhabitants of the town as may be elected for the purpose, which received in a joint session of the two Houses held May 29 1924 189 votes in the affirmative and 40 in the negative, and at a joint session of the two Houses held March 18 1925, received 262 votes in the affirmative and 4 in the negative be approved? | | | | | | | |
| | Yes | 296 | 249 | 42 | 62 | 40 | 100 | 789 |
| | No | 159 | 229 | 22 | 53 | 27 | 47 | 537 |
| | Blanks | 281 | 313 | 41 | 78 | 35 | 90 | 838 |
| | | 736 | 791 | 105 | 193 | 102 | 237 | 2164 |

Question #2

| Shall a law which amends existing law by striking out the provisions that veterans who pass Civil service examinations shall be placed upon the eligible lists above all other applicants, that disabled veterans shall be placed above of all other veterans, and that disabled veterans shall be appointed and employed in preference to all other persons; and by providing in place thereof that five points shall be added to the mark of veterans who pass such examinations, and ten points to the mark of disabled veterans, which law was approved in the Senate by a vote of 0 in the affirmative and 34 in the negative, and in the House of Representatives by a vote of 11 in the affirmative and 181 in the negative, be approved? | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yes | 245 | 244 | 38 | 62 | 27 | 71 | 687 |
| No | 255 | 253 | 35 | 105 | 43 | 102 | 793 |
| Blanks | 236 | 294 | 32 | 26 | 32 | 64 | 684 |
| | 736 | 791 | 105 | 193 | 102 | 237 | 2164 |

Harold Pettram
Town Clerk.

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In accordance with Section 125, Chapter 54 of the General Laws of Massachusetts a legal meeting of the Town Clerks in the Eleventh Middlesex Representative District was held on November 8 1926 at 2.30 P. M. at the Town Clerk's Office, Chelmsford Mass. for the purpose of declaring the elected Representative in the General Court at the State Election held on November 2 1926, the result was as follows:

| Candidate | Acton | Bedford | Carlisle | Chelmsford | Littleton | Westford | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Edward J. Robbins - Chelmsford | 406 | 180 | 81 | 1570 | 366 | 480 | 3083 |
| Frederick Lydiard - Bedford | 214 | 255 | 62 | 24 | 9 | 15 | 579 |
| James Grimes - Acton | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Blanks | 175 | 97 | 19 | 570 | 64 | 258 | 1183 |
| Total | 796 | 532 | 162 | 2164 | 439 | 753 | 4846 |

Horace F. Puttle Town Clerk of Acton
Harold I. Wellington " " " Bedford
Ruth C. Wilkins " " " Carlisle
Harold C Pettrson " " " Chelmsford
Eliot M. Young " " " Littleton
Charles L. Hildreth " " " Westford

November 8 1926

# By Laws
# Accepted by the Town of Chelmsford

## Powers of the Selectmen

1. No person shall break or dig up any sidewalk, street, or highway or place thereon any staging or other temporary structure or move any building into or along the same without a written permit from the Board of Selectmen. Any person having such permit shall, before the expiration of the same restore the sidewalk street or highway to its original condition. Any permit issued under the provisions of this section shall be in force for such time as the Selectmen may specify and shall be subject to such other conditions as they may prescribe. The Board of Selectmen shall have the right to revoke any permit at any time during the progress of the work or may require a bond either before the commencement of the work or during its progress to ensure its proper performance. Proper barriers shall be erected and lights placed from sunset to sunrise during the entire progress of any of the above work.

## Police Regulations

1 No person shall play ball or throw snowballs balls, stones or other missells within, or upon any streets or public ways of the Town, or play at any games obstructing free passage of the same.

2. No person shall pasture any cattle, horses or other animals, either with or without keeper upon any street or way in the Town

3. No person shall swim or bathe in any public or exposed place in a nude condition.

4. No person shall ride, drive or cause to be driven any horse or vehicle over that part of the street which is being mended, repaired or paved, if a watchman or signs prohibiting passage are placed.

5. No person shall, without the permission of the Selectmen, explode firecrackers or any other explosives, or discharge fire arms of any type in any street or ways of the Town, or near any vehicle passing thereon, or near any dwelling-house, except in performance of some legal duty.

6. No person shall behave in any indecent or disorderly manner, or use profane, indecent, threatening or insulting language in any public place or on any sidewalk or street of the Town, or near any house to the annoyance or disturbance of any other person.

7. No persons or person shall congregate noisily in or about the streets, stores or public places of the Town, or disturb the public quiet by the unauthorized ringing of bells or blowing of horns unnecessarily, or deface pull down or injure any building, fence or sign or other structure in the Town

or trespass on any property or wrongfully remove therefrom any tree, plant, shrub fruit or vegetable or create any disturbance of or in, any lawful meeting of the citizens of this Town.

8 No person shall affix with paste or other means any bill, placard or notice, or shall write any figures words or devices on any building, fence pole or wall in the Town

9 No person shall coast or slide on any sled or other vehicle in or about any public street or way in the Town, unless the Selectmen shall have designated such street or way as one upon which coasting or sliding is permitted.

10 No person shall throw posters, handbills, flyers advertising, sheets waste or rubbish in the public parks, streets or ways of the Town

Penalties

Any violation of these By-Laws shall be punished by a fine of not less than two dollars or more than twenty dollars

Harold C Pettison
Town Clerk

Boston Mass, July 30 1926

The foregoing by-laws are hereby approved with the exception of No. 8, which is hereby disapproved

Signed Joy R. Benton
Attorney General

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Warrant for Annual Town Meeting

February 7 1927 and February 14 1927

Middlesex, ss.

To Harold F. Adams, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford,

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby requested to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in their several Polling Places, viz:

Precinct 1, Town Hall Chelmsford Centre
Precinct 2, Town Hall, North Chelmsford
Precinct 3, Historical Hall, West Chelmsford
Precinct 4, School House, East Chelmsford
Precinct 5, Liberty Hall, South Chelmsford
Precinct 6, Golden Cove School House, Westlands

on Monday, the Seventh day of February 1927 being the first Monday in said month, at 12 o'clock noon, for the following purposes;

To bring in their votes for the following officers;

Moderator for one year
One Selectman for three years
One Overseer of the Poor for three years
One Assessor for three years
Town Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for one year
One Member of the Board of Health for three years
One Constable for one year
One School Committeeman for three years

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Two Trustees for Adams Library for three years
Tree Warden for one year
One Insurance Fund Commissioner for three years
One Cemetery Commissioner for three years
One Park Commissioner for three years
Town Clerk for three years
all on one ballot.

(The polls will be open from 12 m to 8 P.M.) and to meet in the Town Hall of Chelmsford Centre on the following

Monday, the Fourteenth day of February, 1927 at 9.30 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act upon the following Articles viz:

Article 1 – To hear reports of Town Officers and Committees; or act in relation thereto.

Article 2 – To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray Town charges for the current year.

Article 3 – To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year; also in such other Matters as may arise requiring in their judgement the action of such agent, and to employ Counsel therefor.

Article 4. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenues of the current financial year.

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Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer, a sufficient sum with which to meet unpaid bills of 1926; or act in relation thereto.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation at the then prevailing price for light for the following additional lights, and will raise and appropriate sufficient money to meet the expense thereof, viz:

One light on Littleton Road;
Three lights on Sunset Ave;
Two lights on Middlesex St;
One light on Shaw St;
Eight lights on Old Westford Road;
Six lights on Twiss Road;
One light on Marion St;
One light on Albina St;
One light on Riverneck Rd;
Two lights on New Fletcher St;
Two lights on Sylvan Ave;
One light on Maple Ave;
One light on Golden Cove Rd;
One light on Seneca Ave;
One light on Skelton Road;

or act in relation thereto.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate out of money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars ($250.00) to cover the amount of the judgement against the Town in an action of tort brought by Ellen Strom, and further the sum of fourteen and 20/100 dollars ($14.20) to cover the amount of the judgement against the

Town in an action of tort brought by Anne Allen; or act in relation thereto.

Article 8 – To see if the Town will strike out Section Eight (8) under the Police Regulations of the by-laws of the Town and substitute therefor and adopt as a part of said by-laws the following:

8 – No person shall affix with paste or other means any bill placard or notice or shall write any figures, words or device on any building, fence, pole or wall belonging to the Town and located therein;
or act in relation thereto.

Article 9 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Dollars ($400.00) or what other sum, and elect a director, the money to be expended by and the director to serve in co-operation with the Middlesex County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture in the work of the Middlesex County Extension Service, under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45, Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts.

Article 10 – To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to transfer to the jurisdiction of the Town Forestry Committee that part of the Town Farm property adjacent to the intersection of the Turnpike Road and the Russell Mill Road, consisting of approximately thirty five acres; or act in relation thereto

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Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 25-A Chapter 14 of the Acts of 1921, which reads as follows:

"In towns which accept this section the Assessors may appoint and remove citizens of the Town as assistant assessors, who shall, subject to the supervision of the Assessors, act as Assessors of the town and shall have all necessary powers therefor. In this section the word towns shall not include cities".
or act in relation thereto.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred and fifty dollars ($450.00) or what other sum for the purpose of grading and re-surfacing Marshall Road, or act in relation thereto.

Article 13. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer, the sum of Twelve Hundred dollars ($1200.00) or what other sum, for the purpose of grading the grounds at the rear and sides of the school house situated on Holton Road, commonly known as the Westlands School; or act in relation thereto.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty two hundred dollars ($2200.00) or what other sum, for the purpose of grading and installing Macadam walks and drips at the Lincoln School so-called, at West Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto

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Article 15 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of thirty five hundred dollars ($3500.00) or what other sum for the purpose of installing a flush toilet system at the Lincoln School so-called, at West Chelmsford, or act in relation thereto.

Article 16 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty eight hundred dollars ($2800.00) or what other sum, for the purpose of installing a new heating unit at the South Chelmsford School; or act in relation thereto.

Article 17. To see if the Town will appoint two persons who with the School Committee will constitute a Committee to study the general school housing conditions of the Town with special reference to the school housing conditions at North Chelmsford and the possible erection of a new grade school at North Chelmsford, and report their conclusions and recommendations at some subsequent meeting; or act in relation thereto.

Article 18 – To see if the Town will appoint a Committee and two others to investigate and report at the next Town Meeting, whether Special or Annual on the matter of procuring additional land for playground purposes at the East School, so called; or act in relation thereto.

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Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise or borrow the sum of eleven thousand dollars ($11,000.00) or what other sum, for the purpose of continuing the construction of the Acton Road, rebuilding the Littleton Road, the Lowell Road and Central Square, each so called, two thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the Commonwealth and County of Middlesex; or act in relation thereto.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money with which to build a shed at the rear of the Town Hall, Chelmsford Center; for the use of the Highway Dept; or act in relation thereto.

Article 21. To see if the Town will accept and allow Oak Knoll Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article 22. To see if the Town will accept and allow Manning Road as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article 23. To see if the Town will accept and allow Stearns St. as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto

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Article 24 – To see if the Town will vote to discontinue so much of the Twiss Road so called as is located between Main Street otherwise known as the West Chelmsford Road on the North and a line marked by two stone posts at the southerly terminus of the Twiss Road as relocated, on the South; or act in relation thereto.

Article 25 – To see if the Town will allow and accept New Twiss Road as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their plan duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article 26 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1000.00) or what other sum, for the purpose of grading, grassing and improving the Common at Chelmsford Centre; or act in relation thereto.

Article 27 – To see if the Town will authorize the superintendent of Streets under the general supervision of the Board of Selectmen, to change the layout of Central Square Park located at Chelmsford Center; or act in relation thereto.

Article 28 – To see if the Town will vote to transfer the control and management of the Town dump, located off Warren Ave to the Board of Health; or act in relation thereto.

Article 29 – To see if the Town will vote, "That refunds to the town from money paid out of appropriations of the Board of Health be credited to the appropriations from which they were paid".

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or act in relation thereto.

Article 30 - To see if the Town will accept from Fred E. Varney, M. D., the gift of a certain lot of land containing about six acres, located on the shore of Leach's Pond, in that part of Chelmsford known as North Chelmsford, the same to be conveyed by his deed which will be exhibited at this meeting, dated Dec. 23 1926, subject to the express reservation and condition that said land is to be forever kept open as and for a public playground or recreation center under the provisions of Chapter 45, Section 14 of the General Laws, and that such playground be named and known as "The Varney Playground"; or act in relation thereto.

Article 31 - In the event of affirmative action under the preceding article, to see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of thirty-six hundred dollars ($3600.00) or what other sum, with which to grade and improve the land to which reference is made in the preceding article for the purposes of a playground or recreation center; or act in relation thereto.

Article 32 - To see if the Town will appoint a committee to consider and report at some future meeting as to what changes and improvements, if any, should be made in Vinal Square at North Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

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Article 33 – To see if the Town will appoint a committee to consider and report at some future meeting as to the advisability of constructing a sidewalk on Graham St, so-called; or act in relation thereto.

Article 34 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $19000.00/100 Nineteen Thousand Dollars or what other sum for the purpose of building a fire station on Middlesex Street at North Chelmsford on land previously acquired by the Town for such purpose; or act in relation thereto.

Article 35 – In the event of affirmative action under the preceding Article, to see if the Town will appoint a committee to have charge of the building of such fire station; or act in relation thereto.

Article 36 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seventy Five Hundred Dollars ($7500.00) or what other sum, for the purpose of remodelling for the use of the Fire Dept. the grammar school house situated on the North Road at Chelmsford Centre; or act in relation thereto.

Article 37 – In the event of affirmative action under the preceding article, to see if the Town will appoint a committee to have in charge the remodelling of said grammar school house; or act in relation thereto.

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Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer, a sum not exceeding Two Thousand Dollars ($2000.00) to be used as a Reserve Fund at the discretion of the Finance Committee as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40 Section 6; or act in relation thereto.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Dollars ($400.00) or what other sum, for State Aid; or act in relation

And You Are Directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Center of the Town South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford, and at the School House East Chelmsford, and at the Golden Cove School House, Westlands, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding the first meeting aforesaid.

Hereof Fail Not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the first meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twenty second day of January, in the year of our Lord Nineteen hundred twenty seven.

George Rigby
Robert W Davis
Rolph P. Adams
Selectmen of Chelmsford.

Return

I have served the foregoing Warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than seven days before the time of said first meeting, as directed by vote of the Town, and by the foregoing order.

Elmold F. Adams
Constable of the Town of
Chelmsford.

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At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant February 7 1927, the following persons received the number of votes set against their respective names for Town Officers, as follows:

| Office | Candidate | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Moderator | Walter Perham, Westford St. | 461 | 248 | 47 | 90 | 57 | 114 | 1017 |
| 1 Year | Blanks | 50 | 106 | 12 | 30 | 9 | 24 | 231 |
| Selectman | George Rigby, Dartmouth St. | 407 | 270 | 47 | 99 | 59 | 105 | 987 |
| 3 Years | Blanks | 104 | 84 | 12 | 21 | 7 | 33 | 261 |
| Overseer of | George Rigby, Dartmouth St. | 395 | 273 | 46 | 94 | 59 | 97 | 964 |
| Poor 3 Years | Blanks | 116 | 81 | 13 | 26 | 7 | 41 | 284 |
| Town Clerk | Harold C. Petterson, Groton Rd. | 441 | 304 | 52 | 84 | 61 | 122 | 1064 |
| 3 Years | Blanks | 70 | 50 | 7 | 36 | 5 | 16 | 184 |
| Member of Board of Health | George A. McIntosh, Subway Ave. | 391 | 225 | 44 | 78 | 51 | 105 | 894 |
| 3 Years | Blanks | 120 | 129 | 15 | 42 | 15 | 33 | 354 |
| Town Treas. and Coll. of Taxes | Ervin W. Sweetser, Chelmsford St. | 423 | 269 | 48 | 86 | 62 | 112 | 1000 |
| 1 Year | Blanks | 88 | 85 | 11 | 34 | 4 | 26 | 248 |
| Assessor | William J. Quigley, Middlesex St. | 391 | 266 | 47 | 81 | 55 | 105 | 945 |
| 3 Years | Blanks | 120 | 88 | 12 | 39 | 11 | 33 | 303 |
| Constable | Donald F. Adams, Central Sq. | 448 | 217 | 52 | 75 | 56 | 114 | 962 |
| 1 Year | Henry C. Noble, Groton Rd. | 44 | 119 | 2 | 36 | 9 | 23 | 233 |
| | Blanks | 19 | 18 | 5 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 53 |
| School Committee | George W. Peterson, Acton St. | 189 | 120 | 24 | 40 | 11 | 30 | 414 |
| 3 Years | Edward B. Russell, North Rd | 314 | 216 | 35 | 79 | 54 | 103 | 801 |
| | Blanks | 8 | 18 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 33 |
| Trustees for | Albert H. Davis, North Rd. | 255 | 211 | 35 | 58 | 51 | 104 | 714 |
| Adams Library | A. Heady Park, Elm Rd. | 362 | 181 | 35 | 54 | 56 | 84 | 772 |
| 3 Years | Blanks | 255 | 316 | 48 | 128 | 25 | 88 | 860 |
| Tree Warden | William Shanks, Chelmsford St. | 440 | 267 | 43 | 90 | 58 | 119 | 1017 |
| 1 Year | Blanks | 91 | 87 | 16 | 30 | 8 | 19 | 231 |
| Ins. Fund Com. | Ralph A. Berg, Chelmsford St. | 419 | 245 | 40 | 70 | 58 | 119 | 951 |
| 3 Years | Blanks. | 92 | 109 | 19 | 50 | 8 | 19 | 297 |
| Cem. Com. | Arthur O. Wheeler, Washington St. | 389 | 265 | 42 | 73 | 54 | 110 | 933 |
| 3 Years | Blanks | 122 | 89 | 17 | 47 | 12 | 28 | 315 |

| Office | Candidate | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Park Com. | Fred L. Fletcher, Westford Rd. | 443 | 264 | 46 | 80 | 60 | 118 | 1011 |
| 3 years | Blanks | 68 | 90 | 13 | 40 | 6 | 20 | 237 |
| | Total Number votes cast in Prec's. | 511 | 354 | 59 | 120 | 66 | 138 | 1248 |

Total Number Registered voters 2600

Harold C. Petterson
Town Clerk.

| Office | Elected | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Moderator | Walter Perham | Feb. 7 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Selectman | George Rigby | Feb 14 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Overseer Poor | George Rigby | " " " | " " |
| Town Clerk | Harold C. Petterson | " 16 " | H. C. Petterson |
| Board of Health | George A. McIntosh | Feb 14 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Tr. & Treas. Tax Coll. | Ervin W. Sweetser | Feb 7 1927 | " " |
| Assessor | William J. Quigley | March 5 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Constable | Donald F. Adams | Feb 26 1927 | Town Clerk |
| School Comm. | Edward B. Russell | Feb 14 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Trustees for | Albert H. Davis | Feb 7 1927 | " " |
| Adams Library | A. Heady Park | " " " | " " |
| Tree Warden | William Shanks | " " " | " " |
| Ts. Fund Com. | Ralph A. Berg | " " " | " " |
| Cem. Comm. | Arthur O. Wheeler | " " " | " " |
| Park Comm. | Fred L. Fletcher | " " " | " " |

Harold C. Petterson
Town Clerk

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Business Meeting

Feb. 14 1927

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant duly posted, at the Upper Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre Monday Feb. 14 1927 at 9.30 A.M. the following business was transacted, To Wit,

The Meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Perham and by a motion made by Selectman George Rigby it was voted to waive the reading of the Warrant by the Town Clerk.

Under Article #1 To hear reports of Town Officers and Committees, Rev. Wilson Walters reported for the Committee appointed to mark historic spots in the Town, he explained that markings had been established marking the home of the first Minister in town at what is called the railroad house, also a marking had been placed on Bridge street defining the Town Pound in the early days of Chelmsford and a spot on Middlesex Canal where it crosses Riverneck Road was to be marked the expense of this marking to be made in part by the Lowell Historical Society, this report placed on file and the Committee to continue in office

Frank J. Lupien reported for the Committee in charge of obtaining plans and estimates of grading the Athletic Fields at the rear of the High School, plans were exhibited showing the layout of a baseball diamond, cinder track, tennis court etc. and it was explained by Mr. Lupien that the approximate cost of such grading and construction would be in the vicinity of $25000.00 but at this time the

Committee were not disposed to recommend any amount to be spent at once, although they believed that the outfield of the baseball grounds should be repaired as it was now in a dangerous condition to play on. Mr Lupien filed at this time the prepared plan for future use with the Town Clerk. It was voted the receive this report and place the same on file.

It was voted to accept the Town Report as printed with corrections of typographical errors.

Under Article #2 – On a motion made by Representative Edward J. Robbins it was voted to lay article 2 on the table until after the noon recess.

Under Article #3 – On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby, It was voted that the Town authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise requiring in their judgement the action of such agent and to employ Counsel therefor.

Under Article #4 – On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby, It was voted that the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to borrow money with the approval of the Selectmen from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning Jan. 1 1927 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from revenue of such financial year.

Under Article #5 – On motion made by Town Clerk Harold C. Pettison it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Six Hundred Thirty Eight ($3638.56) and 56/100 dollars to pay unpaid bills for the year 1926.

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Under Article #6 — On motion made by J. Carroll Monahan Chairman of Finance Committee It was voted, that the sum of Two Hundred and Ten ($210.00) dollars be raised and appropriated to provide for the installation of ten (10) additional street lights in locations to be determined by the Selectmen + the Selectmen to make a survey of the present street lighting system and to report their recommendations as to what changes if any to be made so as to improve the present system

Under Article #7 — On motion made by Selectman George Rigby it was voted. That the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars ($250.00) be appropriated out of money already in the hands of the treasurer with which to cover the amount of the judgment against the Town in an action of tort brought by Ellen Nerson in the Superior Court for Middlesex County, and the further sum of fourteen and 20/100 ($14.20) dollars to cover the amount of the judgment against the town in an action of tort brought by Arne Olsen in the District Court of Lowell.

Under Article #8 — On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby it was voted to dismiss this article in regards to Police Regulations, on account of incorrect wording.

Under Article #9 — On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby to appropriate the sum of $400.00/100 the money to be expended by, and the director to serve in Co-operation with the Middlesex County Trustees for aid to agriculture in the Work of the Middlesex County Extension Service under the provision of Sections 40 to 45 Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts, an amendment was made by Town Clerk Harold C. Patterson that the sum of $300.00 be appropriated and the director to be Perley Kimball, the amendment was carried and it was so voted.

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Under Article #10 – On a motion made to lay this article on the table until after the noon recess, it was so voted.

Under Article #11 – On a motion made by Assessor Herbert C. Sweeten to accept Section 25-A. Chapter 14 of the acts of 1921 regards the appointment of Deputy Assessors, this motion was defeated.

Under Article #12. On a motion made by J. Carroll Monahan to dismiss this article in regards to grading and resurfacing Marshall Road so-called, this motion was carried and article defeated.

Under Article 13-14-15-16-17-18 and 19 By motion of Selectman George Rigby it was voted to lay these articles on the table until after the noon recess.

Under Article #20 – On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby, in regards to building a shed in the rear of the Chelmsford Centre Town Hall, it was voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article #21 – On a motion made by Selectman Robert W. Davis it was voted to accept and allow Oak Knoll Ave so-called in East Chelmsford as laid out by the Selectman as shown in their report duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk.

Under Article #22 – Regarding the acceptance and allowance of Manning Road so-called in East Chelmsford, on motion by Selectman George Rigby it was voted to dismiss this article.

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Under Article 23 — In regards to the allowance and acceptance of Stearns St. so-called in East Chelmsford on motion made by Selectman George Rigby it was voted to dismiss this article.

Under #24 — On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby it was voted to discontinue so much of the Swiss Road, so-called, as is located between Main Street, otherwise known as the West Chelmsford Road, on the north, and a line marked by two stone posts at the southerly terminus of the Swiss Road as relocated, known as the New Swiss Road on the south, and the same is hereby discontinued as a public way.

Under Article #25 — On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby it was voted to allow and accept that part of the New Swiss Road so-called as laid out by the Selectmen on Jan. 29 1927 as shown in their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk.

Under Article #26 — & #27 It was voted to lay these articles on the table until after the noon recess.

Under Article #28 — On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby, it was voted that the control and management of the Town dump so-called located off Warren Ave. be transferred from the Board of Selectmen to the Board of Health.

Under Article #29 — In regards to refunding credited to Board of Health accounts, on a motion made by J. Clark Rotchmont to dismiss this article it was so voted.

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Under Article 30 - 31 - It was voted to lay these articles on the table until after the noon recess.

Under Article #32 - On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby, it was voted to appoint a Committee to consider and report at the next Annual Town meeting as to what changes and improvements if any should be made at Vinal Square, at North Chelmsford and the following Committee is appointed Mr. Fred E. Varney, J. Carroll Monahan and George W. Clay.

Under Article #33 - On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby, that a Committee be appointed to consider and report at the next annual town meeting the advisability of constructing a sidewalk on Graham St so-called at E. Chelmsford, and that the following committee be and hereby are appointed, Selectman Robert W. Barrie, James A Grant and Patrick S. Ward. Mr. Barrie made an amendment that Tyngsboro Road be included and Mr. Shanks made an amendment to the amendment that Chelmsford St be added, Mr. Shanks amendment carried and it was so voted.

On a motion made by George Rigby to take up Article 38 a two thirds vote being necessary 91 voted yes and 2 voted no.

Under Article 38 - On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $2000.00 as a Reserve fund to be used as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 6 under the descretion of the Finance Committee.

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On a motion made by George Rigby to take up article 39 a two thirds vote being necessary 72 votes yes and no one vote no.

Under Article 39 On a motion made by George Rigby it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $400.00/100 for State Aid.

At this time it was voted to hold a noon recess and the meeting was adjourned until 1 P. M.

At 1 P M the meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Cotham and it was voted to take up the table Article #2.

Under Article #2 It was voted to raise and appropriate the following sums of money to defray Town Charges for the current year.

General Government:

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| Moderators Salary | $10.00 |
| Selectmens " | 650.00 |
| " Expense | 175.00 |
| Town Clerk & Acct Salary | 2000.00 |
| " " " Expenses | 250.00 |
| Collector and Treasurer Salary | 1500.00 |
| " " " Expense | 375.00 |
| Treasurer Bond | 363.00 |
| Assessors Salaries | 1600.00 |
| " Expenses | 150.00 |
| " Transportation | 150.00 |
| Town Counsel Salary | 300.00 |
| Election and Registration | 400.00 |
| Appraisers Salaries | 30.00 |
| " Expense | 3.00 |

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| Finance Committee Expenses | 15.00 | |
| Public Bldg. Janitors Salary | 950.00 | |
| " " Fuel Lt + Water | 725.00 | |
| " " Repairs | 850.00 | |
| " " Other Expenses | 65.00 | |
| Total for General Government | | $10561.00 |

Protection of Persons + Property:

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|---|---|---|
| Police Dept | 5600.00 | |
| Fire Dept, Firemans Salaries, Eng Salaries | 3200.00 | |
| " " Engineers Expense | 75.00 | |
| " " Janitors Salaries | 340.00 | |
| " " Labor + Expenses at Fires | 600.00 | |
| " " Supplies | 200.00 | |
| " " Bldg. Repairs | 100.00 | |
| " " Truck Maintenance | 500.00 | |
| " " Telephone + Alarms | 600.00 | |
| " " New Equipment | 600.00 | |
| " " Fuel Lt + Water | 500.00 | |
| " " Rent | 350.00 | |
| " " Extension of Alarm System | 1000.00 | |
| Hydrant Service No. Chelmsford | 750.00 | |
| " " Chelmsford Centre | 750.00 | |
| " " W. Chelmsford | 20.00 | |
| Sealer of Wgts + Measures | 225.00 | |
| Moth Dept | 1500.00 | |
| Tree Warden | 200.00 | |
| Forest Fire Dept. | 1000.00 | |
| Total for Protection of Persons + Property | | $18110.00 |

Health and Sanitation:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Board of Health Salaries | 650.00 | |
| " " " Transportation | 250.00 | |
| " " " Agts Salaries | 100.00 | |
| " " " " Transportation | 200.00 | |
| " " " Aid | 1500.00 | |
| " " " Maintenance | 200.00 | |
| " " " Meat Inspector Salary | 600.00 | |
| " " " Milk " " | 350.00 | |

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|---|---|---|
| Warren Ave. Hump | 100.00 | |
| Total for Health and Sanitation | | 3950.00 |
| **Highways:** | | |
| Supt Salary | 2500.00 | |
| General Highway | 20000.00 | |
| Truck Main. | 3000.00 | |
| Road Binder | 7500.00 | |
| Cutting Brush | 500.00 | |
| Street Signs | 200.00 | |
| Street Lighting | 14863.00 | |
| Total for Highways | | 48563.00 |
| Animal Inspector Salary | 200.00 | |
| **Charity Dept:** | | |
| Overseers of Poor Salaries | 225.00 | |
| " " " Main. | 20.00 | |
| " " " Outside Poor | 8000.00 | |
| Almshouse Supt Salary | 900.00 | |
| " Expense | 2100.00 | |
| " Repairs | 100.00 | |
| Soldiers Relief | 500.00 | |
| Total for Charities | | 11845.00 |
| **School Dept:** | | |
| Administration | 4150.00 | |
| New Equipment | 1000.00 | |
| Instruction | 66350.00 | |
| Operation & Maintenance | 17000.00 | |
| Auxiliary Agencies | 11000.00 | |
| Total for School Dept | | 99500.0 |
| Vocational School Plus dog Tax | 1800.00 | |
| **Libraries:** | | |
| Adams Library | 2000.00 | |
| North Chelmsford Library | 1200.00 | |
| Total for Libraries | | 3200.0 |

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Recreation and Unclassified:

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|---|---|---|
| Park Dept | 600.00 | |
| Memorial Day | 200.00 | |
| Village Clock | 30.00 | |
| Town Reports | 810.50 | |
| Ins. on Public Bldgs | 540.00 | |
| Band Concerts | 400.00 | |
| Ins. Sink. Fund Issue Bond | 40.00 | |
| Total for Recreation & Unclassified | | 2620.50 |

Cemeteries:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Commissioners Salaries | 105.00 | |
| Riverside Cemetery | 450.00 | |
| Forefathers " | 450.00 | |
| Hart Pond " | 450.00 | |
| Pine Ridge " | 450.00 | |
| West Chelmsford " | 450.00 | |
| New Cemetery (Fairview) | 450.00 | |
| Total for Cemeteries | | 2805.00 |

Insurance Sinking Fund 3500.00

Under Article #10 Regarding the transfering of the jurisdiction of a certain tract of land at the Town Farm to the Town Forestry Committee, it was voted to dismiss this article.

It was voted at this time that all articles that were laid on table until after the noon recess be taken up in their regular order.

Under Article 13 In regards to the appropriation of $1200.00 with which to grade the Westlands School Grounds, it was voted to dismiss this Article

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Under Article 14 – In regards to appropriating $2200.00 for the purpose of grading and installing macadam walks and drips at the Lussey School, it was voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article 15 – It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $3500.00 for the purpose of installing a flush toilet system at the Lussey School, the money to be expended by the School Committee.

Under Article 16. It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $2800.00 with which to install a new heating system at the South Chelmsford School House the money to be expended by the School Committee.

Under Article 17. Under this article it was voted to appoint the School Committee Mr. Fred E Varney and Royal Shawcross a Committee, to study the general school housing conditions at North Chelmsford and the possible erection of a new grade school at North Chelmsford, and to report their conclusions and recommendations at some subsequent meeting.

Under Article #18 – It was voted to appoint Mr. Fred Mosely, Mr. James Hill and Mr. Frank J. Lupien a committee of three to investigate and report at the next Town meeting whether special or annual, on the matter of procuring additional land for playground purposes at the East School as called.

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Under Article #18 It was voted that the the sum of $6000.00 be raised and appropriated to be expended as follows, $1000.00 to be expended on the Littleton Road so-called from the termination of the present State Highway to the N.Y.N.H.+H. R.R. tracks $2000.00 to be expended on the Acton Road and $3000.00 to be expended on Chelmsford Street so-called or sometimes called the Lowell Road, beginning at the termination of the present macadam road near Wilson Street and going in the direction of the Chelmsford Lowell Line to the present State Highway line, under the specific conditions that the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the County of Middlesex contribute a like sum, namely $6000.00 each.

Under Article #26 — The Committee appointed to report on improving Common at Chelmsford Centre reported thru its Chairman Fred L. Fletcher and said that upon obtaining estimates from the plan which they had drawn, for the purpose of grading said Common it would cost between $4000.00 and $5000.00 to grade the entire area, they believing that at this time the Town was not in a financial condition to stand the full amount, recommended that the Town appropriate for this purpose $500.00 which would grade a portion around the Monument.

Mr. Fred L. Fletcher made a motion that the sum of $500.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of grassing and grading and improving the Common at Chelmsford Centre, an amendment to this motion was made by Mr. F. E. Varney that $1000.00 be raised and appropriated for this purpose, the amendment was defeated and the original motion of

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Mr. Fred L. Fletcher was carried.

Under Article #27 — In regards to the changing the layout of Central Square Park so-called, it was voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article #30 — It was voted to accept with gratitude from Fred E. Varney, M.D. the gift of a certain lot of land containing about six acres located on the shore of Beach Pond in that part of the town known as North Chelmsford, the same to be conveyed by his deed which has been exhibited at this meeting dated December 23 1926, subject to the express reservations and conditions that said land is to be forever kept open as and for a public playground or recreation center under the provisions of Chapter 45, Section 14 of the General Laws, and to be named and known as "The Varney Playground"

Under Article #31 — On a motion made by Mr. F.E. Varney it was voted to dismiss this article in regards to an appropriation for grading the plot of land accepted in the previous article.

Under Article #34 — It was voted to accept the following report and place the same on file, as follows:

At a special meeting held on Wed. evening June 9th 1926 under Article 12 a Committee of three were appointed, namely Harry L. Shedd, Edward J. Robbins and Bayard C. Hean, to procure plans and specifications for a Fire House at North Chelmsford and report at the next Annual Town meeting, Your Committee respectfully submits the

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following report, Your Committee met at North Chelmsford on June 14 1926 and organized as follows, Harry L. Shedd Chairman and Bayard C. Hean Secretary, a tour of inspection of fire houses was made by the full Committee and in addition to the Committee Chief Ryan of North Chelmsford Dept. Several fire houses were viewed, your committee decided a fire house in Billerica Centre came the nearest to fulfilling the requirements at North Chelmsford, Several architects were invited to submit plans and specifications but only one responded, Mr. Albert MacNaughton of Arlington who furnished plans and specifications for the Billerica Fire House, Your Committee recieved bids from six different contractors, the bids ranged from $24875.00 for two story and $21400.00 for one story without heat to $13900.00, two story, $11600.00 one story complete, You will note in Article #34 that an appropriation of $19000.00 is asked for. This was necessary because we did not have any official bids to go by, all we had was an estimate. Your Committee recommend that an appropriation of $15000.00 if it is decided to build the two story house and $12500.00 if the one story house. The Committee will have plans and specifications in the hands of the Moderator so that any citizen that wishes may view them.

Signed

Harry L. Shedd
Edward J. Poffins
Bayard C. Hean
Committee

On a motion made by Mr. Shedd to raise and appropriate the sum of $12500.00 for the purpose of building a new fire house at

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North Chelmsford the motion was defeated.

Under Article #35 – In regards to the appointment of a Committee to build a fire station at North Chelmsford, this article became automatically dismissed.

Under Article #36 – In regards to remodelling the Old Grammar School on the North Road at the Centre for fire house purposes, it was voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article #37 – In regards to the appointment of a Committee to remodel the Old Grammar School on the North Road at the Centre, this article became automatically dismissed.

It was voted to appropriate from the excess and deficiency account the sum of $10,000.00 to be used by the Assessors to apply toward appropriations made in 1927

On a motion made by Selectman Robert W. Barrie a rising vote of appreciation was given the Finance Committee for the untiring effort and splendid explanation made by them in their report and recommendations

Voted to adjourn at 4.05 P.M.

Harold Pettigrew
Town Clerk

Walter Parham
Moderator

# Officers
## Appointed By Selectmen Feb. 15 1927

| Office | Name | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Town Acct. | Harold C. Petterson | Feb 16 1927 | E. J. Rollins J.P. |
| | John C. Monahan | Feb 14 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Finance | Edmund Fairburn | Mar 2 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | C. George Armstrong | Feb 14 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Committee | James W. Stevens | Apr 18 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | Emile E. Paignon | Mar. 12 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | James A. Grant | Feb 14 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Sup't Strts | William Shanks | Feb 28 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Reg. of Voters | Karl M. Perham | Feb 19 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Janitors | John B. Wrigley - Centre | Mar 2 1927 | Town Clerk |
| of Town Halls | Justin J. Potter - North | Mar 1 1927 | J. A. Valentine N.P. |
| Sealer of Wights + Meas. | Curtis A. Aiken | Feb 26 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Sup't. Almshouse | Frank Hannaford | Feb 28 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Appraisers | Emile E. Paignon | Mar 12 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | John F. Parker | Mar 29 1927 | " " |
| | Albert H. Davis | Feb 26 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Sup't of Burials | Walter Perham | Feb 19 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Regular | Donald F. Adams | Feb 26 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Police Officers | John E. Johnson | Mar 1 1927 | " " |
| Special Police | Fred I. Vinal | Feb 27 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Officers | George Small | Feb 26 1927 | Lee A. Sullivan J.P. |
| | Guy Hazeltine | Feb 26 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | George Rigby | May 3 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | Robert Barris | May 3 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | Ralph P. Adams | May 3 1927 | Town Clerk |

| Office | Name | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Measurers of Sawdust | Pearl Durrell | Feb 28 1927 | Pearl P. Lowell N.P. |
| | C. Wallace McDonald | " " " | " " " " " |
| Weighers of Coal | Charles Unice | Oct 5 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | Harold D. MacDonald | Mar. 2 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | John J. Dunnigan | Apr 29 1927 | " " |
| | William H. Hall | Mar 1 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | James P. Dunnigan | | |
| | Mary C. Healy | March 8 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | John A. Healy | Mar. 2 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | Edward T. Healy | March 8 1927 | " " |
| | Arthur T. Healy | Feb 28 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | Sarah Dunigan | July 5 1927 | " " |
| | James Long | May 6 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Weighers of Hay | Harold D. MacDonald | Mar. 2 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | Myron A. Queen | Feb 28 1927 | Norman P. Moran N.P. |
| | William H. Hall | Mar 1 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Weighers of Merchandise | Charles Unice | Oct 5 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | James F. Leahey | Mar 2 1927 | W. T. Pickett N.P. |
| | James P. Dunnigan | | |
| | James Long | May 6 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | Harold D MacDonald | Mar. 2 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | Walter Perham | Feb 19 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | William Brown | | |
| | Sinai Simard | Mar. 28 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | Michael Scollan | Mar 2 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | James F. Dunnigan | Mar 2 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | Mary C. Healy | March 8 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | Sidney E. Perham | Mar 2 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | Edward T. Healy | Feb 28 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | George F. Williams | May 6 1927 | John Valentine N.P. |
| | James P. Walker | " " " | " " " |
| Measures of Lumber | Myron A. Queen | Feb 28 1927 | Norman P. Moran N.P. |
| | Francis O. Dutton | | |
| | Edward B. Russell | Feb 18 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | | |
| | Walter Edwards | Feb 19 1927 | Town Clerk |

| Office | Name | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|
| Measurers of Lumber | Pearl T. Durrell | Feb 28 1927 | Norman P. Moore J. P. |
| | Carl Dunning | " " " | " " " " " |
| | Arthur LaPrice | Feb 28 1927 | Norman P. Moore J. P. |
| | C. Wallace McDonald | " " " | " " " " " |
| | James A. Burton | Feb 28 1927 | " " " " " |
| | Joseph Erwin | | |
| Measurers of Wood | Ervin W. Sweetser | Feb 25 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | Pearl T. Durrell | Feb 28 1927 | Norman P. Moore J. P. |
| | Myron A. Queen | " " " | |
| | Harry L. Parkhurst | | |
| | Hosmer Sweetser | Feb 25 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | C. Wallace McDonald | Feb 28 1927 | Norman P. Moore J. P. |
| | James F. Dunnigan | Mar 2 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Fence Viewers | Karl M. Perham | Nov. 11 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | J. Clark Osterhout | Refused | |
| | George A. McNulty | Nov. 17 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Field Drivers | Karl M. Perham | Nov. 11 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | James S. Wotton | | |
| Forest Warden | Sidney Dupee | Feb. 25 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Fire Engineers | Arnold C. Perham | May 16 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | David Billson | June 1 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | Archibald Cook | May 14 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Animal Insp. | Arnold C. Perham | Apr. 24 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Memorial Day Committee | George Peterson | May 4 1927 | Town Clerk |
| | Leo McEnaney | May 5 1927 | " " |
| | Harlan Knowlton | | |

# Precinct Officers appointed by the Selectmen to serve one year ending Sept. 1 1928

| Office | Name | Prec. | When Qualified | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Warden | Daniel E. Haley | 1 | Sept 28 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | Harold D. MacDonald | 1 | Sept. 16 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Dep. Warden | Walter H. McMahon | 1 | Oct 3 1927 | " " |
| Dep. Clerk | Aldegonde Peterson | 1 | Sept. 19 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | Francis J. Sheehan | 1 | Oct 6 1927 | " " |
| Inspector | Annie C. Davis | 1 | Sept 26 1927 | H C Lowden J.P. |
| Inspector | Edith A. Perham | 1 | Sept 26 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | Bessie A. Perham | 1 | Sept. 23 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Warden | James McQuade | 2 | | |
| Clerk | Georgia Queen | 2 | Sept 22 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Dep. Warden | Mary Rousseau | 2 | Sept. 20 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Dep. Clerk | Ruth Robinson | 2 | Sept 23 1927 | B. N. McKinley N.P. |
| Inspector | Elizabeth G. Daley | 2 | Sept 21 1927 | C. F. Lucenon J.P. |
| Inspector | Mary K. Daley | 2 | Sept 21 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | Harriett Buchanan | 2 | Sept 21 1927 | J. H. Valentine N.P. |
| Inspector | Laura C. Shugrue | 2 | Sept 21 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Warden | Bayard C. Dean | 3 | Feb 6 1928 | L. J. Ellinwood N.P. |
| Clerk | Loren J. Ellinwood | 3 | Sept 20 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Dep. Warden | Lottie Brown | 3 | Sept 20 1927 | L. J. Ellinwood N.P. |
| Dep. Clerk | Catherine D Piney | 3 | Sept 20 1927 | " " " " |
| Inspector | Rita G. Anderson | 3 | Sept. 20 1927 | L. J. Ellinwood N.P. |
| Inspector | James Savage | 3 | Feb 6 1928 | L. J. Ellinwood N.P. |
| Special | Gerald Lorman | | Nov 1 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Police | George A Duff | | " " " | " " |
| Without Pay | | | | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Warden | Daniel Reardon | 4 | Oct 4 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | Lewis Jennison | 4 | | |
| Dep. Warden | Lydia S. Barris | 4 | Sept. 20 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Dep. Clerk | Lillian Fielding | 4 | Sept. 20 1927 | S. S Cunningham N.P. |
| Inspector | Charles Finnick | 4 | Sept 24 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | Mary L. Quinn | 4 | Sept. 20 1927 | Edward J. Robbins N.P. |
| Warden | John Scoboria | 5 | Sept 24 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | Sidney Dupee | 5 | Sept. 20 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Dep Warden | George L. Waite | 5 | Sept. 19 1927 | " " |
| Dep. Clerk | Caroline Wright | 5 | Sept 23 1927 | " " |
| Inspector | John F. Parker | 5 | Nov. 1st 1927 | " " |
| Inspector | Ethel Wright | 5 | Feb 6 1928 | " " |
| Warden | George McIntosh | 6 | Sept 24 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | Eleanor Parker | 6 | Sept 21 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Dep. Warden | Robert Henderson | 6 | Sept. 19 1927 | Town Clerk |
| Dep Clerk | Florrie Walton | 6 | Sept. 20 1927 | Ralph W Emerson J.P. |
| Inspector | Raymond T. Osborn | 6 | Oct 6 1927 | Francis J. Murphy N.P. |
| Inspector | John P. Quirk | 6 | Refused | |

Harold C. Patterson
Clerk

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# Warrant for Special Town Meeting

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.

To John E. Johnson, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall, at Chelmsford Centre, on Monday the Twelfth day of December current, at eight o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the school committee to sell and convey in behalf of the Town, by a good and sufficient deed the Old North Row School, so called, including both land and buildings and being the same premises conveyed to the Town by Asa and Elbridge S. Spalding by deed dated July 2 1875 and recorded in the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 110 Page 352, to Frank J. Garvey of North Chelmsford Massachusetts, for the sum of five hundred and fifty dollars; or act in relation thereto

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Office in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, West Chelmsford, at the School House in East Chelmsford and at the Golden Ball School House Westlands, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding the meeting aforesaid.

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Hereof Fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this Fifth day of December in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and twenty seven

Robert W Barris
Ralph P. Adams
George Rigby
Selectmen of Chelmsford Massachusetts

I have served the foregoing Warrant by posting attested copies thereof more than Seven days at least before the time of said meeting, as directed by vote of the Town, and by the foregoing order.

John E. Johnson
Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

Special Town Meeting

December 12 1927

At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, qualified to vote in Town affairs, held pursuant to Warrant, at the Upper Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre, Monday Evening Dec. 12 1927 at 8 P.M., the following business was transacted, To Wit:

The meeting was called to order by Town Clerk Harold C. Pettison, who stated that the Moderator being absent, the first business to come before the meeting would

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be the election of a Moderator Pro Tem, Mr. Rigby nominated John J. Monahan and no other nominations being made, it was unanimously voted that John J Monahan be elected as Moderator Pro Tem.

After qualifying as Moderator, Mr. Monahan called the meeting to order, and the Warrant was read by Town Clerk Harold C. Pettirsen

Under Article 1 – On a motion made by Robert W. Barris, It was voted unanimously that the School Committee of the Town of Chelmsford be authorized and empowered to sell and convey in behalf of the Town of Chelmsford, by a good and sufficient quitclaim deed to Frank J. Gerney of North Chelmsford, for the sum of Five Hundred and Fifty dollars, the old North Row School House, so-called, including the land and buildings and more particularly described in a deed from Asa and Elbridge G. Spalding to the Town of Chelmsford, dated July 2 1875 and recorded with the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 110, Page 352

Voted to adjourn at 9.45 P.M.

John J. Monahan Moderator  Harold C. Pettirsen Clerk

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Warrant for Annual Town Meeting
February 6 1928 and February 13 1928

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex SS:

To John C. Inman, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford,

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby requested to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in their several polling places, viz:

Precinct One, Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre
Precinct Two, Town Hall, North Chelmsford
Precinct Three, Historical Hall, West Chelmsford
Precinct Four, School House, East Chelmsford
Precinct Five, Liberty Hall, South Chelmsford
Precinct Six, Golden Cove School, Westlands

on Monday, the eighth day of February 1928, being the first Monday in said Month, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the following purpose;

To bring in their votes for the following offices;

Moderator for one year
one Selectman for three years
one Member of the Board of Public Welfare for three years
Treasurer and Tax Collector for one year
one Assessor to fill an unexpired term for two years
two Assessors for three years
five Warden for one year
one Member of the Board of Health for three years
one School Committeeman for three years

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one Park Commissioner to fill an unexpired term of one year
One Park Commissioner for three years
One Cemetery Commissioner for three years
Two Constables for Adams Library for three years
One Insurance Fund Commissioner to fill an unexpired term for one year
One Insurance Fund Commissioner for three years
One Constable for one year

All on one ballot.

The polls will be open from 12 m. to 5 p.m. and to meet in the Town Hall of Williamstown Center on the following Monday the Thirteenth day of February, 1928 at 7:00 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Article #1 To hear reports of Town Officers and Committees; or act in relation thereto.

Article #2 To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray Town Charges for the current year.

Article #3 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year; also in such other matters as may arise requiring in their judgment the action of such agent and to employ Counsel therefor.

Article #4 To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the Revenue of the current financial year.

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Article #5 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer, a sum not exceeding Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000.00) to be used as a Reserve Fund at the discretion of the Finance Committee, as provided by law, Second Class Chapter 40, Section 6; or act in relation thereto.

Article #6 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred Dollars ($700.00), or what other sum for State Aid; or act in relation thereto

Article #7 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer, a sufficient sum with which to meet unpaid bills of 1927; or act in relation thereto.

Article #8 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lynn Electric Light Corporation for the following additional lights, and will raise and appropriate sufficient money to meet the yearly charge, viz:

Four lights on Pondo Road
Five lights on Lebeck Road
Two lights on Coolidge Street
One light on Pine Hill Road
Six lights on Forest Street
Four lights on Brandon Road

or act in relation thereto.

Article #9 To see if the Town will vote to accept Manning Road as laid out by the Selectmen as shown in their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk, or act in relation thereto

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Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to accept the selectmen's layout that as laid out by the selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to accept Brookline Street, so called, as laid out by the selectmen as shown in their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk, or act in relation thereto

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to accept and allow a further sum to be laid out by the selectmen for a distance of two hundred and twenty feet westerly from the end of that part of Warren Avenue that is now an accepted street, or act in relation thereto

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the selectmen to lay out that part of the Ridge Road so-called, situated on the northerly side of the Plantation Road; beginning at a point approximately one mile and a half from Neal Square; or act in relation thereto

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Dollars ($5000.00) or some other sum for the purpose of completing construction of Water Road, so-called, two thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the Commonwealth and County of Middlesex, namely Two Thousand Dollars ($2000.00) from the Commonwealth and Five Thousand Dollars ($5000.00) from the said County; or act in relation thereto.

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Article #15 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate one thousand dollars ($1000.00) or some other sum for the purpose of grading and oiling part of the road Westford Road, so called, two thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the Commonwealth and County of Middlesex: or act in relation thereto.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Five Hundred dollars ($2500.00) or some other sum for the purpose of reconstructing Trafalgar Street: or act in relation thereto.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand dollars or some other sum for the purpose of constructing a shed at the rear of the Town Hall at the Centre Village for the use of the Highway Department; or act in relation thereto.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150.00) or some other sum for the purpose of purchasing a plan cabinet for the Town Clerk's office: or act in relation thereto.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve Hundred dollars ($1200.00) or some other sum for the purpose of grading a portion of the grounds of the Westford School, situated on the Dalton Road, the same to be expended under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen; or act in relation thereto.

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Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars ($300.00) or some other sum for a well and equipment to be located in the village of South Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to accept section 25 of Chapter 14 of the Acts of 1921, which reads as follows:

"In Towns which accept this section the Selectmen may appoint and remove citizens of the Town as assistant Assessors, who shall, subject to the supervision of the Assessors, act as assistant assessors of the Town and shall hold at necessary times therefor. In this section, the word Town shall not include cities." Or act in relation thereto.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to dispose of the above offered tax Deeds; or act in relation thereto.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars ($300.00) or some other amount and elect a Director, the money to be expended by, and the Director to serve in Cooperation with the Middlesex County Director for County Aid to Agriculture in the work of the Middlesex County Extension Service, under the provisions of Section 20 to 25 Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts or act in relation thereto.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three thousand dollars ($3000.00) or some other sum

for the purpose of completing the grading, grassing and improving of the Common at the Center Village; or act in relation thereto.

Article 25 To see if the Town will vote to remove the fence surrounding the Common of the Center Village; or act in relation thereto.

Article 26 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of fifty dollars ($50.00) for the purpose of purchasing a flag for the Center Village; or act in relation thereto.

Article 27 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate nine thousand dollars ($9000.00) or some other sum for the purpose of widening, making alterations and furnishing certain buildings & land space in the part of Chatham called North Chatham; or act in relation thereto.

Article 28 - In the event of an affirmative vote under Article 27, in the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting February 1928, to see if the voters will authorize and empower the Board of Selectmen to purchase the buildings, or a portion from Lyman Keller, in accordance with said Article 27, for land owned by James E Horton and others; or act in relation thereto.

Article 29 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Six Hundred Dollars ($2600.00) or some other sum, for the purpose of purchasing two parcels of land comprising about five and one half acres, adjoining the school

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property at East Stoughton on the easterly side of Canton Road. Said land to be used by the town for school purposes; so act in relation thereto.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of fifteen hundred dollars ($1500.00) or some other sum for the purpose of installing a flush toilet system at the South Stoughton school house, so called, the money to be expended under the supervision of the School Committee; so act in relation thereto.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 71 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, with amendments thereto. Said section of the General Laws reads as follows:

"In towns which accept this section or have accepted corresponding provisions of earlier laws there shall be a police department established under the direction of the selectmen, who shall appoint a chief of police and such other police officers as they deem necessary, and fix their compensation in an amount not in the aggregate exceeding the amount appropriated therefor. The selectmen may make such rules and regulations governing the police department and officers thereof, and in towns which are not subject to provisions of Chapter 31 to the contrary may remove the chief and other officers at pleasure. The chief of police shall be in immediate control of all town property used by the department, and of the police officers, who shall obey his orders". So act in relation thereto.

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Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to have a light installed on the southerly side of the entrance to Brick Kiln Road at Indian street located at the original location, namely at the intersection of Brick Kiln Road and Carlisle Road; or act in relation thereto

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150.00) for the purpose of repairing the pavement of the Cooks Bridge; or act in relation thereto.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to accept from Fred E. Varney M.D., the gift of a certain lot of land, to wit; lots numbered 147, 166 and 186 on a plan of land entitled "Plan of land in North Chelmsford, Mass., belonging to Fred A. Adams et al and Frank A.C. Adams, scale, 100 feet to an inch surveyed July and September 1892 by Martin B. Smith C. E. with additions to November 1902 by Smith and Brooks C. E's and additions to August 1919 recorded with the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 74, Plate 17; subject to the express reservation and condition that said land is to be forever kept open as and for a public playground or recreation center under the provisions of Chapter 45, section 7 of General Laws, and that such playground is named and known as, "The Varney Playground" or act in relation thereto.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to sell and convey the land and building situated on the southerly side

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of the North Road, in the Center Village and generally known as the Old Grammar School; or act in relation thereto.

Article 36 - To see if the Town will vote to appoint a Committee to investigate the advisability of adopting Central Square; or act in relation thereto

Article 37 - To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to negotiate with the Massachusetts Department of Public Works for the purpose of having the said state take over and assume control of the following ways: Boston Road from Billerica line to Wilmington line; North Road from Bedford, that is Lowell Street; and act in relation thereto

Article 38 - To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to negotiate with the Edison Electric Light Corporation with reference to the placement of certain lights as recommended by the Selectmen in their report under Article 1. in the Annual Town Meeting February 15 1928; or act in relation thereto.

Article 39 - To see if the Town will vote to accept from the Standard Oil Company of New York the gift of a certain lot of land situated on the westerly side of Boston Road at the southeasterly termination of a curve formed by the intersection of said Boston Road and Center Road, and more particularly described on a plan of land

recorded with the Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds Book 2 Plan 14. Subject to the express condition that the said Town of Chelmsford shall lay out and construct a highway upon the described premises and shall cover the said highway with a hard finished surface within one year from date hereof, and upon the further express condition that if the said Town should at any time fail to maintain or keep in repair for the space of one year from date of such, the said premises, or the part not maintained or kept in repair shall revert to and become the property of the grantor free and discharged from the easement herein granted. Reserving the fee of the said property and the right to use the same for all purposes which do not interfere with the use of the said easement for street or highway purposes; or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Office in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford and West Chelmsford and at the School House East Chelmsford and at the Golden Cross School House, Wallinsford, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding the first meeting aforesaid.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at the time and place for holding the first meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twenty-first

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day of January, in the year of our Lord Nineteen hundred and twenty eight

Robert W. Bowie
Ralph P. Adams
George Rigby
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Middlesex, ss.

Pursuant to the within Warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting attested copies of the same at Precinct 1, Post Office Chelmsford Centre, Precinct 2, Post Office North Chelmsford, Precinct 3 Post Office West Chelmsford, Precinct 4 School House East Chelmsford, Precinct 5 Post Office South Chelmsford, Precinct 6 Golden Cross Lodge House Vinal Square, seven days before the date hereof, as within directed

John E. Johnson
Constable of Chelmsford

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At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, qualified to vote in Town affairs, held pursuant to Warrant duly posted, February 6 1928, the following persons received the number of votes set against their respective names for Town office, as follows:

| OFFICE | CANDIDATE | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| MODERATOR | WALTER PERHAM - WESTFORD ST. | 430 | 353 | 45 | 136 | 53 | 200 | 1217 |
| 1 YEAR | BLANKS | 85 | 261 | 12 | 92 | 9 | 55 | 514 |
| SELECTMAN | ROBERT W. BARRIS - GORHAM ST. | 143 | 151 | 39 | 104 | 24 | 26 | 487 |
| THREE | MINOT A. BEAN - STEDMAN ST | 138 | 162 | 5 | 7 | 14 | 87 | 413 |
| YEARS | ELIPHALET G. BROWN - CHELMSFORD ST. | 226 | 263 | 12 | 116 | 24 | 135 | 766 |
| | BLANKS | 8 | 38 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 7 | 65 |
| BOARD OF | ROBERT W. BARRIS - GORHAM ST. | 139 | 174 | 20 | 75 | [illegible] | 28 | [illegible] |
| PUBLIC WELFARE | MINOT A. BEAN - STEDMAN ST. | 137 | [illegible] | 7 | [illegible] | [illegible] | 17 | 318 |
| MEMBER | ELIPHALET G. BROWN - CHELMSFORD ST | 224 | 247 | 1 | 101 | 20 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| 3 YEARS | BLANKS | 17 | 77 | 2 | 27 | 2 | 16 | 138 |
| MEMBER OF | JOSEPH G. FINNEGAN - MOORE ST | 78 | 214 | 19 | 75 | 22 | 60 | 468 |
| BD. OF HEALTH | GEORGE A. McKATY - BRICK KILN RD | 329 | 292 | 21 | 137 | 53 | 146 | 961 |
| 3 YEARS | BLANKS | 108 | 107 | 7 | 16 | 7 | 41 | 274 |
| TOWN TREAS. | ERVIN W. SWEETSER - CHELMSFORD ST | 778 | 431 | 50 | 107 | 18 | [illegible] | 1383 |
| TAX COLLECTOR | BLANKS | 67 | 213 | 7 | 77 | 4 | 40 | 408 |
| TOWN CLERK | HERBERT C. SWEETSER - BOSTON RD | 446 | 352 | 48 | 107 | 18 | 211 | 1200 |
| 3 YEARS | BLANKS | 61 | 262 | 7 | 77 | 5 | 44 | 456 |
| ASSESSOR | FREDA L. FLETCHER - OLD WESTFORD RD | 311 | 44 | 34 | 47 | 24 | 147 | 608 |
| 3 YEARS | JOHN E. HARRINGTON - PRINCETON ST. | 120 | 486 | 16 | 118 | 16 | 71 | 831 |
| TO FILL AN | ARTHUR ROBINSON - PRINCETON ST | 54 | 81 | 9 | 28 | 12 | 38 | 222 |
| UNEXPIRED TERM | BLANKS | 27 | 3 | 0 | 28 | 2 | 22 | 77 |
| CONSTABLE | JOHN E. JOHNSON - SHAW ST. | 738 | 487 | 55 | 141 | 56 | 113 | 1590 |
| 1 YEAR | BLANKS | 77 | 130 | 2 | 81 | 6 | 45 | 341 |
| SCHOOL COMMITTEE | J. EARL WOITON - WASHINGTON ST. | 384 | 381 | 41 | 141 | 75 | 171 | [illegible] |
| MEMBER | BLANKS | 131 | 229 | 12 | 79 | 17 | 57 | [illegible] |
| TRUSTEES OF | JUELLA H. S. CLARK - BARTLETT ST. | 458 | 201 | [illegible] | 130 | 46 | 161 | 962 |
| HARWOOD LIBRARY | HOTTIE L. SNOW - SCHOOL ST. | [illegible] | 305 | 75 | 133 | 41 | 172 | 787 |
| 3 YEARS | BLANKS | 211 | 112 | 20 | [illegible] | 31 | [illegible] | 1075 |

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| OFFICE | CANDIDATE | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
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| TREE WARDEN 1 YEAR | WILLIAM SHANKS-CHELMSFORD ST | 428 | 370 | 78 | 140 | 54 | 218 | 1268 |
| | BLANKS | 77 | 231 | 7 | 88 | 8 | 72 | 483 |
| INS. FUND COMM. 3 YEARS | WALTER PERHAM-WESTFORD ST | 713 | 345 | 44 | 128 | 50 | 197 | 1182 |
| | BLANKS | 76 | 269 | 13 | 100 | 12 | 58 | 548 |
| INS. FUND COMM. 1 YEAR UNEXP. TERM | WALTER PERHAM | — | — | — | — | 1 | — | 1 |
| | ALFRED FREEZE | — | 4 | — | — | — | — | 4 |
| | HERBERT S. RUSSELL | — | 1 | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | JOHN BARRY | — | 1 | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | ROBERT W. BARRIS | — | 1 | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | ETTA BABSON | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | MINOT A. BEAN | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | RALPH A. BERG | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | ARTHUR ROBINSON | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | GEORGE N. DAY | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | JOSEPH E. WARREN | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | A.D. MACDONALD | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | HERBERT WHITE | 2 | — | — | — | — | — | 2 |
| | KARL M. PERHAM | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | 1 |
| | BLANKS | 505 | 607 | 57 | 228 | 61 | 255 | 1713 |
| CEMETERY COMM. 3 YEARS | RALPH P. ADAMS-LITTLETON RD | 433 | 384 | 45 | 128 | 54 | 201 | 1195 |
| | BLANKS | 82 | 230 | 12 | 100 | 8 | 54 | 526 |
| PARK COMM. 3 YEARS | WALTER H. MERRILL-CONCORD RD | 418 | 307 | 43 | 114 | 52 | 191 | 1125 |
| | BLANKS | 97 | 305 | 14 | 114 | 9 | 64 | 603 |
| PARK COMM. 1 YEAR UNEXP. TERM. | MICHAEL J. WELSH-CHURCH ST | 337 | 228 | 45 | 122 | 46 | 163 | 941 |
| | BLANKS | 178 | 386 | 12 | 106 | 16 | 92 | 790 |
| | TOTAL NUMBER VOTES CAST IN PRECINCTS - - | 515 | 614 | 57 | 228 | 62 | 255 | 1731 |
| | TOTAL NUMBER REGISTERED VOTERS - - 2744 | | | | | | | |

Alice C. Pittman
Town Clerk

| OFFICE | OFFICER ELECTED | DATE QUALIFIED | BEFORE WHOM |
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| MODERATOR | WALTER PERHAM | Feb. 11 1928 | Town Clerk |
| SELECTMAN | ELIPHALET G. BROWN | Feb 13 1928 | " " |
| BD. OF PUB. WEL. | ELIPHALET G. BROWN | Feb 13 1928 | " " |
| BD. OF HEALTH | GEORGE A. McNULTY | Feb 13 1928 | " " |
| TOWN TREAS. & TAX COLL. | ERVIN W. SWEETSER | Feb 11 1928 | " " |
| ASSESSOR 3 YRS. | HERBERT C. SWEETSER | Feb 7 1928 | [illegible] |
| ASSESSOR 2 YRS. | JOHN E. HARRINGTON | Feb 10 1928 | " " |
| CONSTABLE | JOHN E. JOHNSON | | |
| SCHOOL COMMITTEE | J. EARL WOTTON | Feb 13 1928 | Town Clerk |
| TRUSTEES OF | LUELLA H. S. CLARK | | |
| ADAMS LIBRARY | LOTTIE L. SNOW | | |
| TREE WARDEN | WILLIAM SHANKS | Feb 7 1928 | [illegible] J. P. |
| INS. FUND COM. 3 YRS | WALTER PERHAM | Feb 11 1928 | " " " " |
| CYS. FUND COM. 1 YR. | ALFRED FREEZE | | |
| CEM. COMM. | RALPH P. ADAMS | | |
| PARK COM. 3 YRS | WALTER H. MERRILL | | |
| PARK COM. 1 YR | MICHAEL J. WELSH. | | |

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# Business Meeting

## Feb. 13 1928

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Cumberland qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant duly posted, at the Upper Town Hall at Cumberland Center Monday Feb. 13 1928 at 7.30 P.M. the following business was transacted, To Wit:

The meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Corham and on a motion made by Selectman Robert W. Barrie it was voted to waive the reading of the Warrant by the Town Clerk.

Under Article #1 It was voted to accept the Town Report as printed with corrections of typographical errors.

Under Article #2 It was voted to raise and appropriate the following sums of money to defray Town charges for the current year,

General Government:

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| Moderators Salary | 8.00 |
| Selectmens Salary | 650.00 |
| Selectmens Expense | 275.00 |
| Town Clerk & Accountants Salary | 2000.00 |
| Town Clerk & Accountants Expense | 200.00 |
| Collector and Treasurers Salary | 1500.00 |
| Collector and Treasurers Expense | 200.00 |
| Treasurers Bond | 535.75 |
| Assessors Salaries | 1600.00 |
| Assessors Expense | 175.00 |
| Assessors Transportation | 100.00 |
| Town Counsel Salary | 300.00 |

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| Election and Registration | 1215.00 | |
| Appraiser Salaries | 30.00 | |
| Appraiser Expense | 3.00 | |
| Finance Committee Expense | 15.00 | |
| Public Buildings Janitor Salaries | 950.00 | |
| Public Buildings, Fuel, Light & Water | 725.00 | |
| Public Buildings Repairs | 250.00 | |
| Public Buildings Other Expense | 65.00 | 10,878.00 |

Protection of Persons and Property:

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| Police Dept | 5000.00 | PLUS $1335 AS AMENDED |
| Fire Dept. Salaries Officers & Engineers | 3200.00 | |
| Fire Dept. Salaries Janitor | 340.00 | |
| Fire Dept. Engineers Expense | 75.00 | |
| Fire Dept. Labor & Expense at Fires | 600.00 | |
| Fire Dept. Supplies | 100.00 | |
| Fire Dept. Building Repairs | 250.00 | |
| Fire Dept. Telephone & Alarms | 600.00 | |
| Fire Dept. Truck Maintenance | 600.00 | |
| Fire Dept. New Equipment | 600.00 | |
| Fire Dept. Fuel, Light & Water | 400.00 | |
| Fire Dept. Rent | 350.00 | |
| Fire Dept. Extension of Alarm System | 500.00 | |
| Hydrant Service No. Chelmsford | 700.00 | |
| Hydrant Service So. Chelmsford | 20.00 | |
| Hydrant Service Chelmsford Center | 750.00 | |
| Sealer of Weights & Measures | 225.00 | |
| Moth Dept | 2000.00 | |
| Pay Warden | 200.00 | |
| Heat Fire Dept | 1200.00 | 17,860.00 |

Health and Sanitation

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| Board of Health Salaries | 600.00 |
| Board of Health - Transportation | 200.00 |
| Board of Health - Agents Salary | 100.00 |
| Board of Health Agents Transportation | 100.00 |
| Board of Health Dues | 75.00 |
| Board of Health Maintenance | 200.00 |
| Board of Health Rent Agents Salary | 200.00 |

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| Board of Health Milk Inspector Salary | | 350.00 |
| Animal Inspector Salary | | 200.00 |
| Warren Cut Stamp | | 100.00 |
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Highways:

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| Supt. Salary | 2500.00 | |
| General Highway | 20333.00 | |
| Truck Maintenance | 3000.00 | |
| Oil - (Rd Binder) | 8000.00 | |
| Cutting Brush | 600.00 | |
| Street Lighting | 15219.00 | |
| Street Signs | 150.00 | 49.469.00 |

Public Welfare:

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| Board of Public Welfare Salaries | 225.00 | |
| Board of Public Welfare Maintenance | 20.00 | |
| Outside Poor | 8000.00 | |
| Infirmary Supt. Salary | 2100.00 | |
| Infirmary Expenses | 900.00 | |
| Infirmary Repairs | 500.00 | |
| Soldiers Relief | 500.00 | 12.245.00 |

School Dept:

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| General Control | 9200.00 | |
| Text Equipment | 1500.00 | |
| Instruction | 65500.00 | |
| Operation & Maintenance | 17000.00 | |
| Auxiliary Agencies | 11175.00 | |
| Vocational School Pay Roll | 1500.00 | 106075.00 |

Libraries:

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| Adams Library | 2000.00 | |
| North Adams Library | 1500.00 | 3.500.00 |

Recreation and Conservation

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| Parks | 700.00 | |
| Memorial Day | 200.00 | |
| Town Clerk | 30.00 | |
| Ins. on Public Buildings | 540.00 | |
| Band Concerts | 400.00 | 1870.00 |

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| Town Reports | 748.44 | |

Cemeteries

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| Commissioners Claim | 105.00 | |
| Forefathers Cemetery | 450.00 | |
| Hard Pond Cemetery | 450.00 | |
| Pine Ridge Cemetery | 450.00 | |
| Riverside Cemetery | 450.00 | |
| Furnows Cemetery | 250.00 | 2705.00 |

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| Insurance Sinking Fund | 3000.00 |

**Under Article #3** It was voted to authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year; also in such other matters as may arise requiring in their judgment the action of such agent, and to employ Counsel therefor.

**Under Article #4** It was voted that the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to borrow money with the approval of the Board of Selectmen from time to time in anticipation of the revenue for of the financial year beginning Jan 1 1928 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from revenue of such financial year.

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Under Article #5 It was voted to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of $200.00 to be used as a Reserve Fund at the discretion of the Finance Committee, as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 6.

Under Article #6 It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $70.00 for State aid.

Under Article #7 It was voted to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of $681.96 with which to pay unpaid bills of 1927.

Under Article #8 It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred and five dollars ($205.00) to pay for six additional street lights to be installed at locations to be designated by the selectmen.

Under Article #9 In regard to accepting Manning Road, it was voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article #10 In regard to the relocation of High Street, it was voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article #11 In regard to Franklin Street, it was voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article #12 In regard to Dixon Ave. it was voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article #13 In regard to Edge Road, it was voted to dismiss this article

Under Article #14 It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $3000.00 for the purpose of completing construction of the Acton Road so-called two thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the County of Middlesex, namely $3000.00 from the Commonwealth and $3000.00 from the County of Middlesex

Under Article #15 It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1000.00 for the purpose of paveling and oiling part of the Old Bedford Road so-called, two thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the County of Middlesex, namely $1000.00 each.

At this time Moderator Walter Coburn announced that he was forced to leave the Chair to the fact owing that he had an important engagement at a Senate meeting at the State House, Moderator Coburn then called on Capt. John J. Monahan to act as Moderator pro tem. Capt Monahan after qualifying proceeded with the next articles in order.

Under Article #16 In regards to constructing sidewalks that it was voted to dismiss the article.

Under Article #17 By a vote of 110 to 0 it was voted to lay this article on the table until after article 25 is acted upon Mort Coburn and George E. Bryson acted on tellers.

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Under Article #18 It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for the purpose of purchasing a fire extinguisher for the Town Clerk's office

Under Article #19 It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1000.00 for the purpose of grading a portion of the grounds of the Wheelock School, situated on the Easton Road, the same to be expended under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen.

At this time it was voted to hold a town recess 11.40 A.M. and to resume at 1.00 P.M.

Under Article #20 It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $800.00 for the purpose of constructing a well and equipping the same, the well to be located by the Board of Health in the Village of South Chelmsford. The money to be expended by a committee consisting of Wilber C. Effson, Archie Cook and Herbert C. Lawton

Under Article #21 In regards to accepting section 97 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws relating to deputy assessors, it was voted to dismiss this article.

At this time Mark M. Parham asked for general privilege, which was granted. Mr Parham said, "We have with us today a Town Official who has just completed his 20th year as an assessor in this Town, namely Herbert C. Lawton, he and I have not always agreed on Town matters as

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you will have just noticed, never the one Mr. Swatton I know has always voted in his capacity as assessor honestly, and impartially and his official career has been a credit to him as well as the Town, and therefore I say that the Town should be proud to have as one of its officers a man of this calibre. Mr. Moderator I move you that the Town give Mr. Swatton a rising vote of appreciation for the service rendered."
And it was so voted.
Mr. Swatton in his usual manner very thanked the Town for this expression.

Under Article #22 On a motion made by James C. Pratt and amended by Representative Edward J. Robbins, it was voted to dispose of the Hand Fire Engine to the Boy Scouts of Chelmsford by sale for fifty cents, and the use of same to be under the direction of the various troop master in Town.

Under Article #23 It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 and elect a Director the money to be expended by, and the Director to serve in co-operation with, the Middlesex County Trustee for County Aid to Agriculture in the work of the Middlesex County Extension Service, under the provision of Sections 40 to 45. Chapter 128 General Laws of Massachusetts, and Cecil W. Kimball was elected director.

Under Article #24 It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for the purpose of procuring plans and estimates for the purpose of grading, grassing and improving the Common at Chelmsford Center, the money to be expended by the following committee

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the Park Commissioner, Edwin P. Clark Miss Carrie Richardson Pres. Chelmsford garden club and Roy Clough. The Committee to report at a future meeting.

Under Article #25 In regards to removing the fence around the Common & Chelmsford Centre, this article was dismissed.

Under Article #26 It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 for the purpose of purchasing a flag for the Centre Village.

Under Article #27 It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,260.00 with which to purchase a lot of land from James S. Wotton containing of 160.8 sq ft. and a lot of land from E. C. Rostler containing of 22 sq ft. more or less and also to pay legal and engineering expense in connection therewith, lots to be in accordance with a plan marked "Proposed new street line, Vinal Square, North Chelmsford, surveyed by J. C. & W. F. Emerson C. E. Sept 1921. The money to be expended by the Selectmen $1,000.00 for Wotton land $200.00 for Rostler land $60.00 for Engineering and Counsel fees

Previous to the above action the following report was made by George W. Clay,

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To the Voters of the Town of Chelmsford:
The Committee appointed under article 23 at the Annual Town Meeting, Feb 14 1921 report as follows: -

The traffic congestion in Vinal Square is serious. The traffic comes into the square from five directions and is most dangerous, first on account of the narrowness of the roadway at the junction point, and second because of the obstruction of the automobile view coming down the Broton Road or Hamilton Road cannot see traffic proceeding toward Lowell on Princeton street, with the result that cars and trucks coming from various directions arrive at the narrow junction point at the same time, with the always present danger of serious accident.

In order to remedy the situation, the Committee recommend as follows:

That the Town purchase land from J. E. Rostler and James Walton, as shown on layout plan, and that the roadway be widened appropriately ten feet.

That certain land and buildings on the location where the Lois Smith estate so-called stands be purchased, and that the street grade be adjusted from the Hamilton Road to Princeton street.

It was the original intention of your Committee to recommend these purchases and expenditures this year, but having in mind the uncertain financial situation and the request of the Finance Committee to ask for only urgently needed appropriations at this time, the Committee recommend that the sum of $1200.00 be appropriated to purchase land of James J. Walton and J. E. Rostler on the south side of the square and that the Committee be continued in office, with instructions to report on future improvements at the next annual Town Meeting.

A copy of the survey showing proposed new

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that time in accordance with the school accommodations as attested hereto and forms part of this report.

J. E. Hendron
Fred E. Young
George W. Clay

Under Article 28 - Voted to dismiss this article.
Under Article 29 - Report of Committee on additional playground at East Chelmsford School:

To the Citizens of Chelmsford:

At the annual town meeting held on Monday, Feb 14 1927 a committee of three consisting of Frederick Hively, James Hill and Frank J. Lupien were chosen to investigate the school playground situation at East Chelmsford, said committee to report at a subsequent town meeting, as to the feasibility and advisability of providing additional land to be used by the town for school purposes.

The Committee met and organized with Frank J. Lupien Chairman.

The present playground situation was looked over and discussed thoroughly. The matter of school enrolment was discussed for years, investigating it was found that for the last three years, since the new addition on the East Chelmsford School have made the enrolment has increased from 80 to 124 or 64%.

Three years ago before the addition was made the building then consisted of two rooms since then two more rooms have been added so that today we have four rooms, and all on one floor.

We can readily see that in building two

more room so as to make it a four room building all on one floor, that it greatly reduced the school yard room, so that today the 124 children are confined to a very small area in the rear of the building. The only outlet for the children who cannot play in the rear because of the lack of room is on the street, a most undesirable situation, and one that should not be tolerated because of the extreme danger of passing automobiles. Your Committee in viewing the situation could arrive at no other conclusion, than to recommend that the town acquire more land to be used for school purposes, so as to relieve the playground congestion.

The East Village is rapidly growing. Several new houses have been built the last three years, and more are now under construction so that it is only a question of time when the town will have to acquire more land for school purposes in the East Village.

In viewing the land around the school property, your Committee arrived at the conclusion that the only logical land to acquire are the land that adjoins the present school land, said land being owned by Mr. William Shedd. The land is in two parcels, and consists of about 2½ acres more or less.

Your Committee interviewed Mr. Shedd relative to his selling the land. Mr. Shedd and your Committee looked over the land, and he said that he would sell it.

Your Committee inquired of Mr. Shedd in regard to his selling price. Mr. Shedd after considering the matter informed your Committee that his selling price would be $2000.00

Your Committee recently learning that Mr.

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town should acquire the Head property as it already adjoins the present school property, and we sincerely hope that the town will take a favorable action on this matter, as the time is now at hand when land should be acquired to provide more room for expansion of the Cost School.

Mr. Frank J. Lupin made this report for this Committee.

Under this article it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $2000.00 for the purpose of purchasing 2½ acres of land for school purposes from William Head said land adjoining the school grounds at East Chelmsford. The money to be expended by the same Committee as making report under this article namely, Frank J. Lupin Frederick Hardy and James Hill

Under Article #30 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1500.00 for the purpose of installing a flush toilet system at the North Chelmsford School House, so-called, the money to be expended under the supervision of the School Committee.

At this time on a motion made by George E. Sagman it was voted 118 in the affirmative and 34 in the negative to reconsider Article #2, On a motion made by Selectman Robert W. Rand it was voted to increase the item under Protection of Persons and Property, namely Police from "$700.00" to $3500 making the total for Protection of Persons and Property, "$7,775."

(Article 31 follows article 33)

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Under Article #32 In regard to locating a light at Buck-Horn Point and Sodom it was voted to dismiss this article.

(Article 33) (follows art. 31)

Under Article #34 On a motion made by Town Clerk Harold C. Pittman it was voted that a committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to investigate the advisability of accepting the act of land offered by M. F. E. Dacey, & with changes for playground & recreational purposes, this Committee to report their recommendation at the next annual Town Meeting. Committee appointed by Moderator Stewart Mackay, John J. Donahue, Jr. & Grant.

Under Article #31 Under this article, it was voted to accept section 17 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws with amendments thereto which read as follows:

"In towns which accept this section or have accepted corresponding provisions of earlier laws there shall be a police department established under the direction of the selectmen, who shall appoint a chief of police and such other police officers as they deem necessary, and fix their compensation in an amount not in the aggregate exceeding the annual appropriation therefor. The selectmen may make suitable regulations governing the police department and the officers thereof, and in towns which are not subject to provisions of Chapter Thirty one so the contrary may remove the chief and other officers at pleasure. The chief of police shall be in immediate control of all town property used by the department, and of the police officers, who shall obey his orders"

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Under Article #33 It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Fifty Dollars ($150.00) for the purpose of repairing the flag pole at the Centre Village.

Under Article #35 It was voted to appoint a Committee of three to investigate the advisability as to the use or disposal of the old Grammar School building situated on the easterly side of the Town House, in the Centre Village, and to report their recommendation at the next Town Meeting. Committee appointed by Moderator Edward B. Russell, George W. Hoy and Arthur W. Faulkner.

At this time Article 11 was taken from the table

Under Article #17 Relative to building a school house in the rear of the Town House & borrowing funds for the use of the highway department, It was voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article #36 It was voted to appoint the Selectmen and the Moderator appoint three, making a committee of six to report at the next Annual Town Meeting the advisability of erecting Central Fire in the Centre Village. If said report recommends a change the Committee is instructed to formulate a plan or scheme which they are to present at said Annual Town Meeting. Committee appointed by Moderator, C. George Armstrong, Perley W. Kimball, Mr. Robert E. Hall

At this time Robert W. Barrie spoke for the Selectmen on the survey on street lights:

This is a larger task than the Selectmen anticipated. We have unable to bring in a complete survey and report at this time so this

as this would have involved an expense in excess of the selectmen's expense appropriation. The selectmen asks for further time, in view to complete the report we would recommend a sufficient amount be set aside to cover the expense involved.

Robert W Barrie
Ralph P Adams
George Rigby

It was voted to accept the report and place the same on file and Committee to continue in office.

The Committee on school house conditions at North Chelmsford reported as follows:

Last year your attention was called to the congested conditions in all our schools especially at the North Village. A special committee consisting of Mr. J. C. Varney, Mr. Royal Shawcross and the personnel of your school Committee was appointed at the last regular Town Meeting to study the general school housing conditions of the Town with special reference to the school housing conditions at North Chelmsford and the possible erection of a new grade school at North Chelmsford.

This Committee has given the matter much thought and has visited several different sites. Last summer Mr. Morse State Supervisor of Secondary Education in the state visited Chelmsford and made a very careful survey of our school housing conditions. At that time Mr. Morse promised to present in a report of his survey together with any recommendations which he felt would be helpful. As yet however this report has not been received by our Committee. In view of

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the uncertain economic conditions in our town it is very difficult to forecast what our school population will be in the future of the site visited that is one thing we have should receive very careful consideration and if we decide necessary to build a new school at both Chelmsford. That site is the same one as the "Carney Playground".

It was voted that the Committee be retained and to report at the next annual Town Meeting.

Mr. Robert W. Barrie reported for the Committee appointed to investigate on sidewalks, he reported as follows:

Pursuant to Article 33 voted at the annual town meeting held Feb. 14, 1927, on a motion carried that a committee appointed by the Moderator, namely, F. W. Barrie, Louis A. Grant and Patrick J. Ward; to consider the advisability of constructing a sidewalk on Broham St. Fingerbrough Road and Chelmsford Street. Your Committee met and organized. In the early period of its functioning, Mr. Patrick Ward was taken by death. It was then necessary that the Selectmen and Committee joint to fill the vacancy, Edward M. Kiley being chosen.

After carefully investigating the statutes your Committee found that the laying out, constructing and maintaining of sidewalks was given unto the Board of Selectmen as provided by Chapter 90, Section 20 of the General Laws, to-wits-

"The aldermen of a city or the selectmen and Commissioners of a town may, if in

their judgment the public convenience requires, establish sidewalks in the public ways thereof and determine the grade of such sidewalks and the material with which it shall be constructed, and may order the reconstruction of existing sidewalks. No such sidewalks shall be laid up or established without the consent of the board or officer having charge of the maintenance and repair of public ways in a city, or the selectmen of such commonwealth in a town."
It is clearly stated in this statute that the selectmen can lay out, construct and maintain, they may also make by-laws for assessments, and annoy removal, which the town may adopt if public convenience demands such.

As to the advisability of constructing sidewalks on Graham St, Pynchon Road and Chelmsford St., the committee find the streets especially Graham St and Pynchon Road are very dangerous places for the pedestrian to travel, thus being no suitable place for such persons to travel, they must then resort to the highway. Both the above roads are heavily travelled by automobiles, who take the advantage of travelling a high rate of speed over a fine highway provided for them. Thus bring the people with no provisions made for the pedestrian but many persons are being injured by these fast travelling autos. Thus to prevent any further injuries along these ways, your Committee recommend the first is instead the selectmen to lay, by statute of the second case, chapter 51 section 25 which makes provisions that they can lay out, construct sidewalks, and

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they draft a set of by-laws for assessments and snow removal, and that they make a survey as to the cost of sidewalks on the above named streets and that they make a complete report at a future town meeting summoned for otherwise.

Your Committee considers that the matter is entirely at the discretion of the selectmen and feel that this should be left entirely to that Board. In these instances, we do not give you a complete report, but for your information we find that by a basis of rough estimating, the cost of a cinder sidewalk on Broadway St. on a present lay out on grounds now provided that the same would be approximately $13,000 from the Forest hill to Bellevia line. On Youngstown Road a cinder sidewalk on the Westerly side for a distance of one and one half miles the cost would be approximately $2500 and $1,000 on Chelmsford St.

While these costs seem high in some but do not see how the town can escape the burden, it is necessary that public on the highway, the autoist as well as the pedestrian, be given protection by removing the pedestrians from the center of the heavily travelled highways to a place where they will be enjoy the convenience, or to supplement public safety, on the highways.

Robert W Bowie
M. Edward Riney

This report was accepted and the Committee discharged.

Under Article #37 Voted to instruct the Selectmen to negotiate with the Massachusetts Department of Public Works for the purpose of having the said state take over and assume control of the following ways; Boston Road from Billerica line to Stuart Road, North Road from Pawtucket street to Hosetown Road.

Under Article #38 In regards to authorizing the selectmen to negotiate with the Powers Electric Light Corp. with reference to the abandonment of certain lights, it was voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article #39 It was voted to accept from the Standard Oil Company of New York the gift of a certain lot of land situated on the westerly side of Boston Road and Boston Road and particularly described on a plan of land recorded with the Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds Plan Book 50, Plan 19. subject to the expressed condition that the said Town of Chelmsford shall lay out and construct a highway upon the described premises and shall cover the said highway with a hard finished surface within one year from date hereof, and upon the further expressed condition that if the said Town shall at any time fail to maintain or keep in repair after the said one year from date of deed the said premises, or the part not maintained or kept in repair shall revert to and become the property of the grantor free and discharged from the covenant herein granted. Reserving the fee of the said property and the right to use

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the same for all purposes which do not interfere with the use of said cement for street or highway purposes.

Voted to transfer from the excess and deficiency account the sum of $596.10 to be applied to appropriations made in 1928, to be used by the Assessors as free cash.

Voted to adjourn this meeting at 4.40 P.M.

Walter Patterson
Moderator

Fanny Patterson
Clerk

John J. Moreton
Moderator Pro-Tem

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# OFFICERS

APPOINTED BY SELECTMEN FEBRUARY 15 1928

| OFFICE | NAME | WHEN QUALIFIED | BEFORE WHOM |
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| | GEORGE W. DAY | Feb 23 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | JOHN C. MONAHAN | | |
| FINANCE COMMITTEE | EMILE E. PAIGNON | March 6 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | JAMES W. STEVENS | March 20 1928 | " " |
| | JAMES A. GRANT | | |
| | JOHN J. MEAGHER | March 8 1928 | Edward J Elwell J.P. |
| TOWN COUNSEL | JOHN H. VALENTINE | | |
| SUP'T. STRTS. | WILLIAM SHANKS | Feb 21 1928 | Town Clerk |
| INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS | ARNOLD C. PERHAM | APR 20 1928 | TOWN CLERK |
| FIRE ENGINEERS | WILLIS MACCOMD (TO FILL AN UNEXPIRED TERM) | Feb 23 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | ARCHIBALD COOKE | May 7 1928 | " " |
| | SIDNEY E. DUPEE | May 4 1928 | " " |
| MOTH. SUP'T. | WILLIAM SHANKS | Apr 2 1928 | Town Clerk |
| REGISTRAR OF VOTERS | JAMES F. LEAHEY | Feb 21 1928 | Wm T. Pickett J.P. |
| JANITORS OF PUB. BUILDINGS | JOHN WRIGLEY - CENTRE | Feb 21 1928 | Town Clerk |
| SEALER OF WEIGHTS + MEAS. | CURTIS A. AIKEN | Feb 21 1928 | Town Clerk |
| FOREST FIRE WARDEN | SIDNEY E. DUPEE | March 30 1928 | Town Clerk |

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| OFFICE | NAME | WHEN QUALIFIED | BEFORE WHOM |
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| SUP'T. OF INFIRMARY | FRANK HANNAFORD | March 1 1928 | Town Clerk |
| SUP'T. OF BURIALS OF IND. SOL. + SAILORS | WALTER PERHAM | | |
| CHIEF OF POLICE | FRED I. VINAL | Feb 15 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | JOHNE JOHNSON | June 26 1928 | " " |
| REGULAR POLICE OFFICERS | JOHN E. JOHNSON | Feb 25 1928 | H. C. Swaton J. P. |
| | HAROLD C. KING | Feb 25 1928 | " " " " " |
| | BERNARD McGOVERN | June 26 1928 | " " " " " |
| SPECIAL POLICE OFFICERS | BENJAMIN HEALD | Feb 15 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | WILLIAM REID | Feb 24 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | ALBERT McSWEENEY (WITHOUT PAY) | Aug 4 1928 | " " |
| | JOHN F. TRAINOR " " | " " " | |
| | GERALD LORMAN " " | AUG. 9 1928 | H C Swaton |
| | GEORGE DUFF " " | " " " | " " " |
| MEASURERS OF SAWDUST | PEARL T. DURRELL | Feb 21 1928 | Norman P. Moran J. P. |
| | CARL DUNNING | Feb 21 1928 | " " " " " |
| | RICHARD E. DAVIS | Feb 21 1928 | " " " " " |
| WEIGHERS OF COAL + COKE | HAROLD D. MACDONALD | Feb 28 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | EDWARD T. HEALY | March 3 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | JOHN J. DUNIGAN | Feb. 24 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | JAMES P. DUNIGAN | | |
| | ARTHUR HEALY | Feb 6 1929 | " " |
| | JAMES LONG | JUNE 2 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | MARY C. HEALY | March 3 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | SARAH DUNIGAN | | |
| | CHARLES UNICE | Feb 21 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | JOHN A. HEALY | Feb 6 1929 | " " |
| | ORA HARDY | Oct 16 1928 | Town Clerk |
| WEIGHERS OF HAY | HAROLD D. MACDONALD | Feb 28 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | MYRON A. QUEEN | | |

| OFFICE | NAME | WHEN QUALIFIED | BEFORE WHOM |
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| MEASURERS OF LUMBER | MYRON A. QUEEN | | |
| | PEARL DURRELL | Feb 21 1928 | Norman P. Moran J. P. |
| | CARL DUNNING | Feb 21 1928 | " " " " " |
| | RICHARD E. DAVIS | Feb 21 1928 | " " " " " |
| | JAMES A. BERTON | Feb 21 1928 | " " " " " |
| | ARTHUR LA PRICE | Feb 21 1928 | " " " " " |
| | OSCAR PALM | Feb 21 1928 | Norman P. Moran J. P. |
| | HARRY L. PARKHURST | | |
| | FRANCIS O. DUTTON | APR. 24 1928 | TOWN CLERK |
| | WALTER EDWARDS | | |
| | JOSEPH ERWIN | | |
| | EDWARD B. RUSSELL | | |
| MEASURERS OF WOOD | MYRON A. QUEEN | | |
| | PEARL T. DURRELL | Feb 21 1928 | Norman P. Moran J. P. |
| | CARL DUNNING | Feb 21 1928 | " " " " " |
| | RICHARD E. DAVIS | Feb 21 1928 | |
| | ERVIN W. SWEETSER | | |
| | HOSMER W. SWEETSER | March 9 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | HARRY L. PARKHURST | | |
| | JAMES F. DUNIGAN | | |
| MEASURERS OF LOGS | JAMES A. BERTON | Feb 21 1928 | Norman P. Moran J. P. |
| FENCE VIEWERS | BENJAMIN HEALD | REFUSED | |
| | WILLIAM REID | Feb. 24 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | GEORGE A. McNULTY | | |

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| OFFICE | NAME | WHEN QUALIFIED | BEFORE WHOM |
|---|---|---|---|
| | JAMES F. LEAHEY | Feb 21 1928 | Wm T. Picken N.P. |
| WEIGHERS | HAROLD D MACDONALD | Feb 28 1928 | Town Clerk |
| OF | SINAI SIMARD | March 5 1928 | Town Clerk |
| MERCHANDISE | MARY C. HEALEY | March 3 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | GEORGE F. WILLIAMS | | |
| | CHARLES UNICE | Feb 21 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | WILLIAM BROWN | | |
| | EDWARD T. HEALY | Mar. 3 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | JAMES P. DUNIGAN | | |
| | WALTER PERHAM | | |
| | SIDNEY E. PERHAM | Apr. 11 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | JAMES P. WALKER | Mar. 6 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | HERBERT S. RUSSELL | Feb 23 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | JAMES H. LONG | | |
| | JAMES F. DUNIGAN | | |
| | CLARENCE LEAVITT | Oct 10 1928 | Town Clerk |
| MEMORIAL | GEORGE PETERSON (S.W.V.) | Apr 27 1928 | Town Clerk |
| DAY | SIDNEY PERHAM (AM. LEG.) | May 28 1928 | |
| COMMITTEE | FRED WIGGIN (S. OF A. R) | | |
| MEAT | WILLIAM S. HALL | APR. 23 1928 | Town Clerk |
| INSPECTORS | ALBERT S. PARK | APR 24 1928 | " " |
| SPECIAL | LEROY R. FALES | MAY 28 1928 | Francis J Murphy N.P. |
| POLICE | GEORGE WOODBURY | " " " | " " " " |
| WITHOUT | DANIEL PLUMMER | JUNE 2 1928 | A C Swetten J.P. |
| PAY | MORTON WRIGHT | Oct 8 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | Marguerite Wright | " " " | " " |

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# Warrant for Presidential Primary

Tuesday, the Twenty-fourth day of April, 1928

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, SS

To, John E. Johnson, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford.

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in their several polling places, viz:

Precinct 1. Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre
Precinct 2, Town Hall, North Chelmsford
Precinct 3 Historical Hall, West Chelmsford
Precinct 4. School House, East Chelmsford
Precinct 5, Liberty Hall, South Chelmsford
Precinct 6. Golden Cove School House, Westlands

On Tuesday the Twenty fourth day of April, 1928, at four o'Clock P.M. for the following purposes:

7 Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Republican Party
8 Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party
7 Alternate Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Republican Party
8 Alternate Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party
2 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party Fifth Congressional District
2 Alternate District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party, Fifth Congressional District
4 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party, Fifth Congressional District
4 Alternate District Delegates to the National Convention

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of the Democratic Party, Fifth Congressional District

Presidential Preference

Preference for Republican Candidate for President of the United States

Preference for Democratic Candidate for President of the United States

The polls will be open from 4 P.M. to 8 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting

Given under our hands this eleventh day of April, A.D. 1928

Ralph P. Adams
George Rigby
Elizabeth G. Brown
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Middlesex SS:

Pursuant to the Within Warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of the same at the following places viz: Town Hall Chelmsford Center, Town Hall North Chelmsford, Pestrucci Hall, West Chelmsford, School House, East Chelmsford, Liberty Hall, South Chelmsford and at the Golden Cove School House Westlands Seven days before the date hereof, as within directed

John E. Johnson
Constable of Chelmsford

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting held on April 24 1928 at the six precincts in the Town of Chelmsford for persons qualified to vote in Presidential Primaries, the following Candidates recieved the number of votes set against their respective names.

| OFFICE | CANDIDATE | PARTY | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | GROUPED | | | | | | | | |
| DELEGATES AT LARGE TO THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION TO NOMINATE CANDIDATES FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES | WILLIAM M. BUTLER OF 231 COMMONWEALTH AVE. BOSTON. | R | 155 | 95 | 22 | 17 | 24 | 43 | 356 |
| | FREDERICK H. GILLETT OF 140 CHESTNUT ST. SPRINGFIELD | R | 151 | 93 | 24 | 18 | 21 | 44 | 351 |
| | CHANNING H. COX OF 173 BEACON ST. BOSTON | R | 143 | 93 | 19 | 17 | 21 | 35 | 328 |
| | EBEN S. DRAPER OF ADIN STREET, HOPEDALE | R | 127 | 82 | 16 | 16 | 19 | 38 | 298 |
| | PAULINE R. THAYER OF LANCASTER | R | 126 | 84 | 16 | 16 | 20 | 31 | 293 |
| | MINNIE R. DWIGHT OF 387 APPLETON STREET, HOLYOKE | R | 121 | 72 | 14 | 14 | 17 | 28 | 266 |
| | GRACE H. BAGLEY OF HIGH STREET, WESTWOOD | R | 110 | 67 | 14 | 14 | 8 | 24 | 237 |
| | BLANKS | | 457 | 420 | 64 | 129 | 59 | 175 | 1304 |
| | NOT GROUPED | | | | | | | | |
| | FREDERICK L. ANDERSON OF 169 HOMER STREET, NEWTON | R | 74 | 58 | 11 | 7 | 3 | 4 | 157 |
| | SCATTERING | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| | TOTAL | | 1464 | 1064 | 200 | 248 | 2 | 422 | 3590 |
| | GROUP | | | | | | | | |
| ALTERNATE DELEGATES AT LARGE TO THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION TO NOMINATE CANDIDATES FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES | LOUISE M. WILLIAMS OF 3 DEAN STREET, TAUNTON | R | 120 | 84 | 15 | 14 | 16 | 40 | 289 |
| | MARY PRATT POTTER OF 486 MAIN STREET, GREENFIELD | R | 118 | 82 | 15 | 14 | 17 | 36 | 282 |
| | ELIOT WADSWORTH OF 180 MARLBOROUGH STREET, BOSTON | R | 120 | 83 | 15 | 14 | 15 | 34 | 281 |
| | FREDERICK H. PRINCE OF GRAPE VINE ROAD, WENHAM | R | 119 | 79 | 15 | 12 | 17 | 37 | 279 |
| | BUTLER AMES OF 333 ANDOVER STREET, LOWELL | R | 137 | 90 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 42 | 326 |
| | EDWIN F. LEONARD OF 44 COPLEY TERRACE, SPRINGFIELD | R | 116 | 80 | 15 | 13 | 15 | 35 | 274 |
| | RAOUL H. BEAUDREAU OF 60 PLEASANT STREET, MARLBOROUGH | R | 109 | 68 | 14 | 11 | 16 | 31 | 249 |
| | BLANKS | | 442 | 365 | 75 | 120 | 52 | 158 | 1212 |
| | GROUP | | | | | | | | |
| DISTRICT DELEGATES FIFTH DISTRICT TO THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION TO NOMINATE CANDIDATES FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES | CHARLES P. HOWARD OF 122 SUMMER AVE. READING | R | 125 | 87 | 18 | 17 | 18 | 31 | 296 |
| | CHARLES A. STEVENS OF 377 WILDER STREET, LOWELL | R | 143 | 93 | 20 | 22 | 18 | 45 | 341 |
| | BLANKS | | 270 | 203 | 38 | 51 | 36 | 96 | [illegible] |
| | NOT GROUPED | | | | | | | | |
| | IRVING A. PRIEST OF LANDHAM ROAD, SUDBURY | R | 11 | 16 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 37 |
| | SCATTERING | | | | | | | | |

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| OFFICE | CANDIDATE | PARTY | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOT. |
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| | GROUP | | | | | | | | |
| ALTERNATE | FRANK M. ANDREW OF 51 PLEASANT STREET, METHUEN | R | 118 | 82 | 20 | 16 | 14 | 38 | 28[illegible] |
| DISTRICT | EDWARD T. SIMONEAU OF 24 ELLIS AVENUE, MARLBOROUGH | R | 111 | 65 | 18 | 12 | 13 | 34 | 25[illegible] |
| DELEGATES 5TH DIST. TO THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION TO NOMINATE CANDIDATES FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES | BLANKS | | 137 | 119 | 14 | 34 | 21 | 46 | 37[illegible] |
| INDIVIDUAL | HERBERT HOOVER | | 154 | 91 | 25 | 19 | 10 | | 29[illegible] |
| PREFERENCE | HOOVER | | | | | | 8 | 40 | 48 |
| FOR THE PERSON TO BE NOMINATED AS REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES | CALVIN COOLIDGE | | 6 | 2 | – | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11 |
| | DAWES | | 2 | | | 1 | | | 3 |
| | BORAH | | 1 | | | | | | 1 |
| | BUTLER | | | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| | MRS J. J. ROGERS | | | | | | | 1 | 1 |
| | SMITH | | | 4 | | 2 | | | 6 |
| | GILLETT | | | | | 1 | | | 1 |
| | LOWDEN | | | 9 | | 1 | | | 10 |
| | LONGWORTH | | | 2 | | | | | 2 |
| | CURTIS | | | | | | | | 1 |
| | BLANKS | | 337 | 24 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 16 | 43[illegible] |
| | GROUP | | | | | | | | |
| DELEGATES | DAVID I. WALSH OF 37 DAY STREET FITCHBURG, PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH OF NEW YORK | D | 6 | 24 | 1 | 23 | 0 | 1 | 55 |
| AT LARGE | JAMES M. CURLEY OF 350 JAMAICAWAY, BOSTON PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH OF NEW YORK | D | 6 | 22 | 1 | 23 | 0 | 1 | 53 |
| TO THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION TO NOMINATE CANDIDATES FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES | ANDREW J. PETERS. OF 310 SOUTH ST. BOSTON PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH OF NEW YORK | D | 6 | 20 | 1 | 22 | 0 | 1 | 50 |
| | CHARLES H. COLE OF 34 GLOUCESTER ST. BOSTON PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH OF NEW YORK | D | 6 | 21 | 1 | 21 | 0 | 1 | 50 |
| | JOSEPH B. ELY OF 66 BROAD ST. WESTFIELD PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH OF NEW YORK | D | 5 | 21 | 1 | 21 | 0 | 1 | 49 |
| | HELEN A. MACDONALD OF 1 NEW HEATH ST. BOSTON PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH OF NEW YORK | D | 6 | 21 | 1 | 21 | 0 | 1 | 50 |
| | WILLIAM J. FOLEY OF 388 WEST FOURTH ST. BOSTON PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH OF NEW YORK | D | 5 | 21 | 1 | 23 | 0 | 1 | 51 |
| | EDWARD J. KELLEY OF 14 GAGE ST. WORCESTER PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH OF NEW YORK | D | 6 | 22 | 1 | 21 | 0 | 1 | 51 |
| | BLANKS | | 10 | 92 | 0 | 75 | 0 | 1 | 51 |
| | NOT GROUPED | | | | | | | | |
| | LAWRENCE F. QUIGLEY OF 867 BROADWAY CHELSEA | D | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 20 |
| | SCATTERING | | | | | | | | |

| OFFICE | CANDIDATE | PARTY | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | GROUP | | | | | | | | |
| ALTERNATE | CHARLES H. McGLUE of 850 Mass. Ave. Cambridge PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH OF NEW YORK | D | 4 | 21 | 1 | 17 | 0 | 2 | 45 |
| DELEGATES | STRABO Y. CLAGGETT of 1820 Washington St. Boston PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH OF NEW YORK | D | 4 | 20 | 1 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 42 |
| AT LARGE | JOSEPH SANTOSUOSSO of 97 Brattle St. Boston PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH OF NEW YORK | D | 4 | 20 | 1 | 16 | 0 | 2 | 43 |
| THE DEMOCRATIC | BERNARD M. WOLF of 271 Dartmouth St. Boston PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH OF NEW YORK | D | 4 | 21 | 1 | 17 | 0 | 2 | 45 |
| NATIONAL CONVENTION TO NOMINATE | ELIZABETH C. McINERNEY of 28 St. Albans St. Boston PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH OF NEW YORK | D | 5 | 21 | 1 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 44 |
| CANDIDATES FOR PRESIDENT AND | DOROTHY WHIPPLE FRY of 447 Warren St. Brookline PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH OF NEW YORK | D | 4 | 21 | 1 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 43 |
| VICE PRESIDENT OF THE | JAMES A. DONOVAN of 16 Summit Ave. Lawrence PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH OF NEW YORK | D | 5 | 21 | 1 | 16 | 0 | 2 | 45 |
| UNITED STATES | RAYMOND V. McNAMARA of 88 Fountain St. Haverhill PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH OF NEW YORK | D | 4 | 22 | 1 | 17 | 0 | 2 | 46 |
| | BLANKS | | 22 | 49 | 0 | 96 | 0 | 8 | 175 |
| | NOT GROUPED | | | | | | | | |
| DISTRICT | JOHN W. BUEY of 45 Nameset St. Lowell PLEDGED TO ALFRED E. SMITH FOR PRESIDENT | D | 1 | 14 | 1 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 30 |
| DELEGATES | CORNELIUS F. CRONIN of 344 Varnum Ave Lowell PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH | D | 4 | 17 | 1 | 19 | 0 | 1 | 42 |
| FIFTH | CORNELIUS DESMOND JR. 235 Stackpole St. ALFRED EMANUEL SMITH | D | 3 | 12 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 27 |
| DISTRICT | JOHN J. GILBRIDE of 14 Porter St. Lowell ALFRED E. SMITH OF NEW YORK | D | 1 | 17 | 1 | 21 | 0 | 1 | 41 |
| TO THE DEMOCRATIC | JOSEPH M. HALLORAN of 317 Chelmsford St. Lowell | D | 2 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 12 |
| NATIONAL CONVENTION TO NOMINATE | JAMES F. HESLIN of 139 Gershom Ave. Lowell | D | 1 | 5 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 13 |
| CANDIDATES FOR PRESIDENT AND | KATHERINE F. McCARTHY of 647 Market St. Lowell PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH | D | 3 | 12 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 28 |
| VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES | EDWARD J. ROGERS of 779 Central St. Lowell | D | 1 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 11 |
| | BLANKS | | 43 | 21 | 0 | 138 | 0 | 1 | 203 |
| | GROUP | | | | | | | | |
| ALTERNATE | JAMES Y. HENNESSY of 170 Commonwealth Ave Concord, PLEDGED TO GOV. ALFRED E. SMITH OF NE YORK | D | 2 | 17 | 1 | 14 | 0 | 2 | 36 |
| DISTRICT | SARAH G. SPARKS of 59 Elm St. Lowell PLEDGED TO ALFRED E. SMITH | D | 2 | 17 | 1 | 14 | 0 | 2 | 36 |
| DELEGATES | PATRICK J. MEEHAN of 45 Highland St. Lowell PLEDGED TO ALFRED E. SMITH | D | 3 | 22 | 1 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 43 |
| FIFTH | JOHN J. O'CONNOR of 161 Salem St. Lowell PLEDGED TO ALFRED E. SMITH | D | 3 | 18 | 1 | 13 | 0 | 2 | 37 |
| DISTRICT | BLANKS | | | | | | | | |
| THE DEMOCRATIC | NOT GROUPED | | | | | | | | |
| NATIONAL CONVENTION TO NOMINATE | MICHAEL J. KELLEY of 560 Broadway Lowell | D | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 |
| CANDIDATES FOR PRESIDENT AND | JOHN P. O'CONNELL of 7 Everett St. Lowell | D | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 7 |
| VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES | HENRY J. SULLIVAN of 173 Mt Vernon St Lowell PLEDGED TO ALFRED E. SMITH FOR PRESIDENT | D | 1 | 7 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 11 |
| | SCATTERING | | 36 | 98 | 0 | 81 | 0 | 1 | 216 |
| INDIVIDUAL | T. J. WALSH | | — | — | — | — | — | 1 | 1 |
| PREFERENCE FOR THE | SMITH | | 6 | 25 | 1 | 24 | — | — | 56 |
| PERSON TO BE NOMINATED AS DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES | | | | | | | | | |
| | BLANKS | | 1 | 2 | — | 4 | 0 | 0 | 7 |

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Warrant for Special Town Meeting
At Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre
Wednesday Evening, June 6 1928

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, SS
To John E. Johnson, a Constable
of the Town of Chelmsford.

Greeting:
In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall, at Chelmsford Centre on Wednesday, the sixth day of June current at seven thirty (7.30) in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Article #1. To see if the Town will vote to hear at this meeting the report of the Committee appointed pursuant to vote taken under Article 34 at the Annual Town Meeting, February 13 1928. Said vote was as follows, "Voted that a Committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to investigate the advisability of accepting the lot of land offered by Mr. F. E. Varney at North Chelmsford for playground or recreational purposes this Committee to report their recommendation at the next Annual Town Meeting." The Committee appointed by the Moderator is Stewart MacKay, John J. Monahan and James A. Grant; or act in relation thereto.

Article #2. To see if the Town will vote to accept from Fred E. Varney Trustee, the gift of a certain lot of land, to wit; lots numbered 147, 166, and 136 on a plan of land entitled, "Plan of land in North Chelmsford Mass., belonging to Thomas J. Adams Estate and Charles W. S. Adams, scale 100 feet to an inch surveyed July and September 1892 by Melvin B. Smith C. E., with additions to November 1902 by Smith and Brooks Co., C. E., and additions to August 1919". Recorded with the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 44, Plate 17: subject to the express reservation and condition that said land is to be forever kept open as and for a public playground or recreation center under the provisions of Chapter 45, Section 14, of the General Laws, and that such playground be named and known as, "The Varney Playgrounds". or act in relation thereto.

Article #3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Thousand Dollars ($6000) or some other sum, for the following purposes; to construct new sidewalks, grading, grassing and improving the common at Chelmsford Center, in general; or act in relation thereto.

Article #4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Thousand Dollars ($6000) or some other sum, for the purpose of purchasing for playground purposes a lot of land now called "Silesia Park" at North Chelmsford, described as follows; Bounded on the Northwest side of land owned by the Minton Real Estate Trust, and the Southwell Wool Combing Company; on

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the southwest by a, "Sleep Brook", so-called; and on the northeast by the Merrimack River. Being a triangular lot of land containing about twelve acres of land more or less, including the buildings thereon, and being part of lot five as shown on a plan of land in North Chelmsford belonging to the United States Worsted Corporation scale 100 feet to an inch, surveyed by Brooks, Jordan and Grover, C. E. Lowell, Mass. April 1928; or act in relation thereto.

Article #5 – To see if the Town will vote to sell by public auction, or otherwise the building, with the contents therein situated on the land purchased from Hildreth P. Sutton on the easterly side of the North Road, so-called, and known as the Old Grammar School Building, and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Dollars ($100) or some other sum, for the expense of said sale. The supervision of said sale to be under the jurisdiction of the Board of Selectmen: or act in relation thereto.

Article #6 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Forty Dollars ($40) to pay for the premium of the bond of the Treasurer of the Insurance Fund Commission: or act in relation thereto.

Article #7 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred and Thirty Dollars ($330) for the purpose of repairing the buildings at the Town Infirmary or act in relation thereto

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Article #8 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty Three Hundred Dollars ($3300) or some other sum for the purpose of repairing the North Road, so-called. Two thirds of the expense of said repair to be borne equally by the Commonwealth and the County of Middlesex; or act in relation thereto.

Article #9 – To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric light corporation for the installation of four additional lights on the Acton Road; or act in relation thereto.

Article #10 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1000) or some other sum for the purpose of purchasing fire hose for the fire department; or act in relation thereto.

Article #11 – To see if the Town will vote to accept from Frank W. Sadler of Newton, Mass the gift of a strip of land on the Southerly side of Mollick Road in Chelmsford and being lot numbered 214 on plan of land entitled, "Farracres, Chelmsford Massachusetts owned by Frank W. Sadler", and recorded in the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 37, Plate 40; or act in relation thereto.

Article #12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred and Seventy Eight Dollars and Thirty Nine Cents ($178.39) with which to meet unpaid bills of 1927; or act in relation thereto

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Article #13 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate One Hundred and Sixty Dollars ($160) with which to pay land damages arising out of the relocation of the Bellerica and Russell Mill Road; or act in relation thereto.

Article #14 – To see if the Town will vote to accept and allow Monahan Street as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article #15 – To see if the Town will vote to accept and allow Manning Road as described and laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article #16 – In event of a negative vote under Article 15, to see if the Town will vote to accept and allow a portion of Manning Road as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article #17 – To see if the Town will vote to discontinue a portion of the public or Town way opposite the property of William H. and Fred G. Baldwin, now or formerly, on the Manning Road; or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Center of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford and West Chelmsford, and at the

School House, East Chelmsford and at the Golden Cove School House, Westlands, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding the meeting aforesaid.

Hereof Fail Not, and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twenty ninth day of May, in the year of Our Lord Nineteen hundred and twenty eight.

Ralph P. Adams
George Rigby
Elphalet G. Brown

Middlesex, ss

Pursuant to the within Warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up ~~attested~~ copies of the same at the Post Office in the Center of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford and West Chelmsford and at the School House, East Chelmsford and at the Golden Cove School House, Westlands, seven days before the date hereof as within directed.

John E. Johnson
Constable of Chelmsford

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# Special Town Meeting
## June 6 1928

At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, qualified to vote in Town affairs, held pursuant to Warrant duly posted, at the Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre Wednesday Evening June 6 1928 at 7.30 P.M. the following business was transacted, to wit:

The meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Parham and on a motion made by Selectman George Rigby it was voted to waive the reading of the Warrant by Town Clerk Harold C. Atherton.

Under Article #1. On a motion made by George E. Bagnall it was voted to hear the report of the Committee appointed at the Town Meeting, February 13 1928, to investigate the advisability of accepting the lots of land offered to the Town by Fred E. Varney M.D., and more particularly described in deed offered to the Town by said Fred E. Varney M.D.

Stewart Mackay reported for the Committee and stated that the Committee had very carefully investigated the land in question that the land was adjacent to the land already accepted from Fred E. Varney as a playground, and that it would mean a considerable improvement to accept this plot offered as there was a considerable area that was fairly level and could be used for tennis courts and that plans were at present under way for the construction of the same. Mr. Mackay closed by stating that the Committee's report was favorable toward the acceptance

It was voted to accept this report and place the same on file.

Under Article #2 - On a motion made by John T. Crowley it was voted to accept from Fred E. Varney M.D., the gift of certain lots of land in North Chelmsford and more particularly described in a deed offered to the Town by the said Fred E. Varney and which will be recorded in the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds.

Under Article #3 - On a motion made by Mr. Roy Clough, it was voted that the sum of $6000.00 be appropriated from the Excess and Deficiency account for the purpose of improving the "Common at Chelmsford Centre" according to plan submitted by Warren Manning with minor changes as the Committee may suggest for further improvement, the money to be expended by the same Committee who had charge of procuring above mentioned plan.

Article #4 - On a motion made by Dr. F. E. Varney it was voted, that the Town purchase from the United States Worsted Company of Boston, Massachusetts a certain tract of land situated in North Chelmsford and called "Silsbia Park", which is bounded on the Northwest by land of the Morton Real Estate Trust and the Smithwell Wool Combing Company now or formerly, on the Southwest by a "Deep Brook", so-called; and on the Northeast by the Merrimack River. Being a triangular lot of land containing about twelve acres of land more or less, including the buildings, bridges and all other appurtenances belonging thereto. That the purchase shall be under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen who shall have

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full power to make said negotiation adjustments and determine where the right of way shall be and all other powers necessary to effect the consummation of said purchase. That the sum of Six Thousand and fifty dollars be appropriated from the Excess and Deficiency Fund for said purchase and necessary expenses thereto.

Article #5. On a motion made by George W. Hay, it was voted that the Selectmen be authorized and empowered to sell by public auction on or before June 28 1928, the building and contents therein, now called the "Old Grammar School," situated on the land purchased from Hildreth P. Hutton on the easterly side of the North Road now so-called, and $100.00 be appropriated at this time for the expense of such sale, also that the Selectmen be instructed to enter into an agreement either by themselves or their agents with the purchaser of said building that all material excepting the stone or granite be removed from the said premises on or before November 1 1928 and that the purchaser be obliged to post a substantial sum of money as a forfeit for the fulfillment of such agreement.

Article #6. On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby, it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Forty Dollars ($40) to pay for the premium of the bond of the Treasurer of the Insurance Fund Commission

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Under Article #7. On a motion made by Selectman Eliphalet G. Brown, it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred and Thirty Dollars ($330) for the purpose of repairing the buildings of the Town Infirmary.

Under Article #8. On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby, it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty Three Hundred Dollars ($3300) for the purpose of repairing the North Road so-called, this amount being one third of the cost thereof; the other two thirds being shared by the County and Commonwealth equally.

Under Article #9. On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby, it was voted to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation for the installation of four additional lights on the Acton Road.

Under Article #10. On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby, it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1000) for the purpose of purchasing fire hose for the fire department.

Under Article #11. On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby, it was voted to accept the gift of a certain lot of land from Frank W. Sadler of Newton, Mass. on Manning Road, sometimes called Mallock Road. Said strip of land is more particularly described in a deed offered to said Town of Chelmsford and which will be recorded in the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, on the

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and said gift is accepted.

At this time on a motion made by John C. Monahan, it was voted to reconsider Article 8 pertaining to the North Road so called.
On a motion made by John C. Monahan it was voted, to appropriate from the Overlay Reserve Account the sum of Thirty Three Hundred Dollars ($3300) for the purpose of repairing the North Road, so-called This amount being one third of the cost thereof; the other two thirds being shared by the County and Commonwealth equally.

Under Article #12 On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby, it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred and Seventy Eight Dollars and Thirty Nine Cents ($178.39) with which to pay claims of 1927.

Under Article #13 On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby, it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred and Sixty Dollars ($160) for the purpose of paying damages arising out of the relocation of the Bellrock and Russell Mill Road. Said sum to be expended as follows: Seventy Five Dollars to Joseph La Belle, Seventy Five Dollars to Edward R. Blood and Ten Dollars to Rosalba Auger.

Under Article #14 On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby, it was voted to accept and allow Monahan Street as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk

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Under Article # 15 On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby, it was voted to dismiss this Article pertaining to Manning Road so-called.

Under Article # 16 On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby, it was voted to accept and allow Manning Road as described and laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report and plan duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk.

Under Article # 17 On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby it was voted to dismiss this article pertaining to the discontinuance of a portion of Manning Road so-called opposite the property of William H and Fred S. Baldwin.

On a motion made by Selectman George Rigby it was voted to adjourn this meeting at 9.45 P.M.

Harold Patterson
Town Clerk

Walter Parham
Moderator.

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Election Officers appointed by the Selectmen to serve one year ending August 1st 1929

| OFFICE | NAME | PREC | WHEN QUALIFIED | BEFORE WHOM |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WARDEN | DANIEL E. HALEY | 1 | Aug 21 1928 | Town Clerk |
| CLERK | HAROLD D. MACDONALD | 1 | Aug 3 1928 | Town Clerk |
| DEP. WARDEN | WALTER H. McMAHON | 1 | Sept 17 1928 | Town Clerk |
| DEP. CLERK | ALDEGONDE PETERSON | 1 | Aug 6 1928 | Town Clerk |
| INSPECTOR | FRANCIS J. SHEEHAN | 1 | | |
| INSPECTOR | ANNIE C. DAVIS | 1 | Aug 7 1928 | Town Clerk |
| DEP. INSPECTOR | EDITH A. PERHAM | 1 | Aug 7 1928 | Town Clerk |
| DEP. INSPECTOR | BESSIE A. PERHAM | 1 | Aug 7 1928 | Town Clerk |
| TEMP. OFFICER | HERBERT L. BISHOP | 1 | Oct 8 1928 | " " |
| " " | JOHN T. McTEAGUE | 1 | Oct 11 1928 | " " |
| WARDEN | JAMES McQUADE | 2 | Sept 17 1928 | Town Clerk |
| CLERK | GEORGIA QUEEN | 2 | REFUSED TO SERVE | |
| DEP. WARDEN | MARY K. DALEY | 2 | Aug 8 1928 | Town Clerk |
| DEP. CLERK | RUTH ROBINSON | 2 | Sept 13 1928 | Town Clerk |
| INSPECTOR | MARY ROUSSEAU | 2 | Aug 19 1928 | Town Clerk |
| INSPECTOR | ELLA KATH | 2 | Aug 8 1928 | Wm T. Picken J.P. |
| DEP. INSPECTOR | LAURA C. SHUGRUE | 2 | Sept 17 1928 | Town Clk. |
| DEP. INSPECTOR | SARAH HARRINGTON | 2 | Aug 6 1928 | John E Harrington J.P. |
| CLERK | HARRIETT BUCHANAN | 2 | Sept 17 1928 | Town Clk. |
| TEMP. OFFICER | GEORGIA QUEEN | 2 | Oct 10 1928 | " " |
| " " | NELLIE SHAWCROSS | 2 | Oct 9 1928 | John H Volinton J.P. |
| WARDEN | BAYARD C. DEAN | 3 | Sept 17 1928 | Town Clerk |
| CLERK | LOREN J. ELLINWOOD | 3 | Sept 18 1928 | Town Clerk |
| DEP. WARDEN | LOTTIE BROWN | 3 | Aug 8 1928 | L J Ellinwood J.P. |
| DEP. CLERK | CATHERINE D. PINEY | 3 | | |
| INSPECTOR | RITA G. ANDERSON | 3 | Aug 8 1928 | L J Ellinwood J.P. |
| INSPECTOR | JAMES SAVAGE | 3 | Jan 6 1928 | |
| WARDEN | DANIEL REARDON | 4 | | |
| CLERK | LEWIS JENNISON | 4 | | |
| DEP. WARDEN | LYDIA BARRIS | 4 | Aug 13 1928 | Town Clerk |
| DEP. CLERK | LILLIAN FIELDING | 4 | Aug 14 1928 | Samuel Cunningham J.P. |
| INSPECTOR | CHARLES FINNICK | 4 | Aug 8 1928 | Town Clerk |

| OFFICE | NAME | PREC | WHEN QUALIFIED | BEFORE WHOM |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| INSPECTOR | MARY L. QUINN | 4 | Aug 7 1928 | Edward Robbins J.P. |
| TEMP. OFFICER | GEORGE McNULTY | 4 | | |
| " " | FRED MOSELEY | 4 | | |
| " " | JAMES H. HILL | 4 | | |
| WARDEN | JOHN SCOBORIA | 5 | Aug 9 1928 | Town Clerk |
| CLERK | SIDNEY DUPEE | 5 | Aug 6 1928 | Town Clerk |
| DEP. WARDEN | GEORGE L. WAITE | 5 | Aug 21 1928 | Town Clerk |
| DEP. CLERK | CAROLINE WRIGHT | 5 | Aug 14 1928 | Town Clerk |
| INSPECTOR | JOHN F. PARKER | 5 | Aug 7 1928 | Town Clerk |
| INSPECTOR | ETHEL WRIGHT | 5 | Sept 17 1928 | H. Chewter J.P. |
| TEMP. OFFICER | ARTHUR HOUSE | 5 | Oct 9 1928 | Town Clerk |
| " " | ELSIE FISH | 5 | Oct 8 1928 | H. Chewter J.P. |
| WARDEN | GEORGE McINTOSH | 6 | Aug 7 1928 | Town Clerk |
| CLERK | ELEANOR PARKER | 6 | Aug 9 1928 | Town Clerk |
| DEP WARDEN | ROBERT HENDERSON | 6 | Aug 9 1928 | Town Clerk |
| ✓ CLERK | FLORRIE WALTON | 6 | Aug 6 1928 | Ralph Emmons J.P. |
| INSPECTOR | RAYMOND T. OSBORN | 6 | Aug 10 1928 | Town Clerk |
| INSPECTOR | JOHN P. QUIRK | 6 | | |

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Warrant For State Primary
Tuesday, the Eighteenth day of September 1928

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss
To John E. Johnson, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford

Greeting,

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in their several polling places, viz:

Precinct 1, Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre
Precinct 2, Town Hall, North Chelmsford
Precinct 3, Historical Hall, West Chelmsford
Precinct 4, School House, East Chelmsford
Precinct 5, Liberty Hall, South Chelmsford
Precinct 6, Golden Cove School House, Westlands

On Tuesday, the Eighteenth day of September, 1928, at four o'clock P. M. for the following purposes;

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

Governor for this Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Lieutenant Governor for " " " "
Secretary of the " " "
Treasurer and Reciever General for " " "
Auditor of the " " "
Attorney General for " " "
Senator in Congress for " " "
Representative in Congress for the Fifth Congressional District
Councillor for the Sixth Councillor District
Senator for the Eight Senatorial District

One Representative in Gen. Court for the Eleventh Representative District
County Commissioner (2) for this Middlesex County
Register of Deeds for the Middlesex North District
Clerk of Courts for the Middlesex County

Vacancies

In Middlesex County Associate County Commissioner (to fill vacancy) and for the Election of the following officers:

District Members of State Committee for each political party - for the Eighth Senatorial District.

Eighteen members of the Republican Town Committee
Ten members of the Democratic Town Committee
Six Delegates to State Convention of the Republican party
Ten Delegates to State Convention of the Democratic Party

All of the above Candidates and officers are to be voted upon one ballot.

The polls will be open from four o'clock P.M. to nine o'clock P.M..

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this eighth day of September A.D. 1928

George Rigby
Elizabeth S. Brown
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Middlesex ss

Pursuant to the within Warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the

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Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of the same at the post office in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, West Chelmsford and at the School House at East Chelmsford, and at the Golden Cove School House at the Westlands seven days before the date hereof as within directed

John E. Johnson
Constable of Chelmsford

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting held on Sept. 18 1928 at the six precincts in the Town of Chelmsford for persons qualified to vote in State Primaries the following Candidates received the number of votes set against their respective names.

| OFFICE | CANDIDATE | PARTY | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| GOVERNOR | 289 WALPOLE ST. FRANK G. ALLEN – NORWOOD | R | 392 | 168 | 33 | 39 | 30 | 97 | 759 |
| | 17 WADE STREET FRANK A. GOODWIN – BOSTON | R | 178 | 131 | 24 | 51 | 14 | 89 | 487 |
| | BLANKS | | 30 | 16 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 55 |
| LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR | 690 LONGMEADOW ST. GEORGE A. BACON – LONGMEADOW | R | 36 | 21 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 8 | 72 |
| | 44 JOY ST. CHARLES LAWRENCE BURRILL – BOSTON | R | 35 | 26 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 77 |
| | 27 HOLDEN ST. PEHR G. HOLMES – WORCESTER | R | 26 | 6 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 9 | 52 |
| | 84 GROVE AVENUE JOHN C. HULL – LEOMINSTER | R | 103 | 30 | 9 | 4 | 10 | 37 | 193 |
| | 44 HARRISON ST. ROBERT M. LEACH – TAUNTON | R | 42 | 35 | 7 | 2 | 7 | 33 | 126 |
| | 55 BRADFORD ROAD WYCLIFFE C. MARSHALL – WATERTOWN | R | 8 | 4 | 2 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 31 |
| | 92 HIGH ST. JOHN H. SHERBURNE – BROOKLINE | R | 164 | 88 | 20 | 31 | 15 | 42 | 360 |
| | 10 ORKNEY ROAD WILLIAM STERLING YOUNGMAN – BOSTON | R | 124 | 85 | 12 | 9 | 3 | 45 | 278 |
| | BLANKS | | 62 | 20 | 3 | 14 | 5 | 8 | 112 |
| SECRETARY | 75 BENTON ROAD FREDERIC W. COOK – SOMERVILLE | R | 473 | 251 | 50 | 68 | 36 | 169 | 1047 |
| | BLANKS | | 127 | 64 | 9 | 26 | 8 | 20 | 254 |
| TREASURER | 7 REVERE PLACE FRED J. BURRELL – MEDFORD | R | 159 | 84 | 11 | 25 | 13 | 67 | 359 |
| | 24 CHURCH ST. JOHN W. HAIGIS – GREENFIELD | R | 212 | 82 | 28 | 16 | 20 | 57 | 415 |
| | 249 PARK ST. J. ERNEST KERR – BOSTON | R | 25 | 39 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 5 | 80 |
| | 11 WHITTIER ST. RUSSELL A. WOOD – CAMBRIDGE | R | 98 | 45 | 12 | 24 | 6 | 40 | 225 |
| | BLANKS | | 106 | 65 | 5 | 21 | 5 | 20 | 222 |
| AUDITOR | 214 SYCAMORE ST. DWIGHT L. ALLISON – WATERTOWN | R | 41 | 21 | 4 | 11 | 2 | 27 | 106 |
| | 70 WOODSIDE TERRACE JULIA B. BUXTON – SPRINGFIELD | R | 151 | 49 | 16 | 20 | 13 | 34 | 283 |
| | 14 WEBSTER RD ROLAND H. CHOATE – MILTON | R | 69 | 41 | 5 | 8 | 8 | 11 | 142 |
| | 27 WALES ST. ALONZO B. COOK – BOSTON | R | 197 | 128 | 25 | 31 | 10 | 88 | 479 |
| | 77 AVON ST HARVEY E. FROST – SOMERVILLE | R | 14 | 13 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 40 |
| | 127 OAKDALE AVENUE ROSWELL F. PHELPS – DEDHAM | R | 20 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 9 | 42 |
| | BLANKS | | 108 | 59 | 4 | 17 | 7 | 14 | 209 |

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| OFFICE | CANDIDATE | PARTY | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ATTORNEY GENERAL | 79 RUMFORD AVE. CLARENCE A. BARNES-MANSFIELD | R | 131 | 78 | 17 | 29 | 11 | 57 | 323 |
| | 52 CHURCH GREEN JOSEPH E. WARNER-TAUNTON | R | 350 | 170 | 36 | 46 | 26 | 112 | 740 |
| | BLANKS | | 119 | 67 | 6 | 19 | 7 | 20 | 238 |
| SENATOR IN CONGRESS | 333 ANDOVER ST. BUTLER AMES-LOWELL | R | 386 | 202 | 40 | 69 | 28 | 140 | 865 |
| | ADIN ST. EBEN S. DRAPER-HOPEDALE | R | 82 | 36 | 9 | 7 | 1 | 25 | 160 |
| | NEWTON ST. BENJAMIN LORING YOUNG-WESTON | R | 91 | 40 | 9 | 13 | 12 | 15 | 180 |
| | BLANKS | | 41 | 37 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 9 | 96 |
| CONGRESSMAN 5TH DIST. | 444 ANDOVER ST EDITH NOURSE ROGERS-LOWELL | R | 558 | 288 | 57 | 88 | 40 | 178 | 1209 |
| | BLANKS | | 42 | 27 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 11 | 92 |
| COUNCILLOR 6TH DIST | 209 SUMMER ST. HARVEY L. BOUTWELL MALDEN | R | 328 | 175 | 35 | 53 | 26 | 123 | 740 |
| | 67 FOREST ST. JOSEPH F. DYER-MEDFORD | R | 85 | 56 | 12 | 17 | 7 | 33 | 210 |
| | BLANKS | | 187 | 84 | 12 | 24 | 11 | 33 | 351 |
| SENATOR 8TH MIDDLESEX DISTRICT. | 15 FRED ST. EDWARD GASTON CAMPBELL-LOWELL | R | 108 | 67 | 10 | 34 | 9 | 23 | 251 |
| | WESTFORD ST. WALTER PERHAM-CHELMSFORD | R | 473 | 230 | 47 | 56 | 34 | 162 | 1002 |
| | BLANKS | | 19 | 18 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 48 |
| REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT 11TH MIDDLESEX DISTRICT | JAMES A. GRIMES-ACTON | R | 102 | 43 | 4 | 7 | 1 | 16 | 173 |
| | WESTFORD ST. EDWARD J. ROBBINS-CHELMSFORD | R | 456 | 233 | 52 | 79 | 40 | 161 | 1021 |
| | BLANKS | | 42 | 39 | 3 | 8 | 3 | 12 | 107 |
| COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MIDDLESEX | EDMANDS ROAD NATHANIEL I. BOWDITCH-FRAMINGHAM | R | 330 | 167 | 39 | 52 | 28 | 120 | 736 |
| | 465 BROADWAY WALTER C. WARDWELL-CAMBRIDGE | R | 400 | 200 | 43 | 60 | 31 | 145 | 879 |
| | BLANKS | | 470 | 263 | 36 | 76 | 29 | 113 | 987 |
| CLERK OF COURTS MIDDLESEX | 33 GAY ST. RALPH N. SMITH-ARLINGTON | R | 447 | 234 | 51 | 69 | 30 | 164 | 995 |
| | BLANKS | | 153 | 81 | 8 | 25 | 14 | 25 | 306 |
| REGISTER OF DEEDS MIDDLESEX NORTHERN DISTRICT | 7 ROTH ST. ABEL T. CAMPBELL-LOWELL | R | 285 | 192 | 33 | 63 | 22 | 100 | 695 |
| | 4 BARTON AVE CHARLES H. HOWARD-LOWELL | R | 207 | 62 | 21 | 17 | 15 | 70 | 392 |
| | 52 WARE ST LOUIS W. RICHARD-LOWELL | R | 16 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 35 |
| | BLANKS | | 92 | 51 | 4 | 13 | 7 | 12 | 185 |

| OFFICE | CANDIDATE | PARTY | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONER MIDDLESEX COUNTY TO FILL VACANCY | DANIEL D. GORMAN - 19 BANKS ST. SOMERVILLE | R | 35 | 26 | 8 | 3 | 1 | 9 | 82 |
| | MELVIN G. ROGERS - WHIPPLE RD TEWKSBURY | R | 422 | 213 | 45 | 69 | 36 | 154 | 939 |
| | BLANKS | | 143 | 76 | 6 | 22 | 7 | 26 | 280 |
| STATE COMMITTEE 8TH MIDDLESEX DISTRICT | ALFRED W. HARTFORD - BROADWAY WESTFORD | R | 220 | 138 | 40 | 21 | 19 | 69 | 507 |
| | WILLIAM J. WHITE JR - 291 WILDER ST. LOWELL | R | 215 | 101 | 13 | 43 | 20 | 88 | 480 |
| | BLANKS | | 165 | 76 | 6 | 30 | 5 | 32 | 314 |
| DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION | HERBERT C. SWEETSER - BOSTON RD | R | 492 | 240 | 50 | 81 | 37 | 160 | 1060 |
| | GRACE CRAIGE PERHAM - WESTFORD ST | R | 446 | 245 | 48 | 67 | 33 | 149 | 988 |
| | NELLIE R. PICKEN - MIDDLESEX ST | R | 452 | 217 | 48 | 67 | 35 | 156 | 975 |
| | WALTER PERHAM - WESTFORD ST | R | 466 | 232 | 48 | 73 | 36 | 168 | 1023 |
| | MARION L. JOHNSON - SHAW RD | R | 444 | 216 | 45 | 67 | 35 | 152 | 959 |
| | SIDNEY E. DUPEE - ACTON RD | R | 472 | 215 | 49 | 70 | 36 | 155 | 997 |
| | BLANKS | | 828 | 525 | 66 | 139 | 52 | 206 | 1836 |
| TOWN COMMITTEE REPUBLICAN | GEORGE McINTOSH - SUBWAY AVE | R | 388 | 196 | 46 | 58 | 32 | 139 | 859 |
| | SIDNEY E. DUPEE - ACTON RD | R | 424 | 202 | 46 | 63 | 34 | 147 | 916 |
| | CAROLINE WRIGHT - ELM RD | R | 398 | 196 | 45 | 59 | 34 | 137 | 869 |
| | WALTER PERHAM - WESTFORD ST | R | 437 | 219 | 47 | 65 | 34 | 157 | 959 |
| | ROBERT W. BARRIS - GORHAM ST. | R | 392 | 201 | 44 | 74 | 32 | 140 | 883 |
| | JENNIE S. BROWN - SCHOOL ST | R | 391 | 195 | 48 | 57 | 31 | 135 | 857 |
| | ROYAL SHAWCROSS - NEWFIELD ST | R | 386 | 217 | 44 | 57 | 31 | 136 | 871 |
| | JOHN H. VALENTINE - ADAMS ST. | R | 386 | 217 | 44 | 62 | 32 | 139 | 880 |
| | HAROLD C. PETTERSON - GROTON RD | R | 421 | 222 | 48 | 58 | 35 | 149 | 933 |
| | GEORGE RIGBY - DARTMOUTH ST | R | 383 | 210 | 46 | 58 | 32 | 139 | 868 |
| | NELLIE R. PICKEN - MIDDLESEX ST | R | 395 | 201 | 45 | 60 | 31 | 137 | 869 |
| | ROY A. CLOUGH - WARREN AVE | R | 413 | 201 | 45 | 63 | 32 | 130 | 884 |
| | HERBERT C. SWEETSER - BOSTON RD | R | 429 | 213 | 46 | 62 | 36 | 137 | 923 |
| | GRACE CRAIGE PERHAM - WESTFORD ST | R | 397 | 204 | 47 | 61 | 32 | 139 | 880 |
| | BESSIE A. PERHAM - WESTFORD ST | R | 416 | 199 | 46 | 56 | 31 | 131 | 879 |
| | EDWARD J. ROBBINS - WESTFORD ST | R | 424 | 211 | 47 | 61 | 36 | 143 | 922 |
| | EMMA A. DANE - CHELMSFORD ST | R | 391 | 203 | 46 | 58 | 31 | 141 | 870 |
| | ADELINE E. CARLL - CHELMSFORD ST | R | 397 | 195 | 46 | 57 | 31 | 139 | 865 |
| | BLANKS | | 3532 | 1968 | 236 | 603 | 205 | 887 | 7431 |
| | TOTAL NUMBER REP. VOTES CAST | | 600 | 315 | 59 | 94 | 44 | 189 | 1301 |

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| OFFICE | CANDIDATE | PARTY | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| GOVERNOR | 34 GLOUCESTER ST. CHARLES H. COLE – BOSTON | D | 10 | 48 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 8 | 84 |
| | 433 ADAMS ST. JOHN J. CUMMINGS – BOSTON | D | 4 | 17 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 31 |
| | BLANKS | | 2 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| LIEUT. GOVERNOR | 188 COMMONWEALTH AVE. JOHN F. MALLEY — NEWTON | D | 3 | 28 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 5 | 47 |
| | 33 COMMODORE RD. CHARLES S. MURPHY – WORCESTER | D | 8 | 33 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 1 | 57 |
| | BLANKS | | 5 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 21 |
| SECRETARY | 47 BRATTLE ST. JOSEPH SANTOS UOSSO – BOSTON | D | 7 | 48 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 3 | 76 |
| | BLANKS | | 9 | 24 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 5 | 49 |
| TREASURER | 24 KLEBART AVE JAMES P. BERGIN – WEBSTER | D | 5 | 32 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 6 | 58 |
| | 175 WENDELL AVE DANIEL ENGLAND – PITTSFIELD | D | 3 | 21 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 32 |
| | BLANKS | | 8 | 19 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 35 |
| AUDITOR | 1820 WASHINGTON ST. STRABO V. CLAGGETT – NEWTON | D | 5 | 25 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 37 |
| | 32 LINWOOD ST. IRVING LEWIS – BOSTON | D | 0 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 8 |
| | 39 CUSHMAN RD FRANCIS J. O'GORMAN – BOSTON | D | 4 | 35 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 1 | 55 |
| | BLANKS | | 7 | 10 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 25 |
| ATT'Y GENERAL | 32 SIGOURNEY ST. EDWARD P. BARRY – BOSTON | D | 10 | 53 | 0 | 23 | 0 | 6 | 92 |
| | 10 FRANKLIN ST. WILLIAM R. SCHARTON – READING | D | 1 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 9 |
| | BLANKS | | 5 | 15 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 24 |
| SENATOR IN CONGRESS | 37 DAY ST. DAVID I. WALSH – FITCHBURG | D | 13 | 66 | 0 | 27 | 0 | 5 | 11 |
| | BLANKS | | 3 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 14 |
| CONGRESSMAN 5TH DISTRICT | 344 VARNUM AVE CORNELIUS F. CRONIN – LOWELL | D | 8 | 28 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 3 | 57 |
| | 317 CHELMSFORD ST. JOSEPH M. HALLORAN – LOWELL | D | 2 | 10 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| | 139 GERSHOM AVE JAMES F. HESLIN – LOWELL | D | 3 | 25 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 36 |
| | BLANKS | | 3 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 14 |
| COUNCILLOR 6TH DISTRICT | 24 PUTNAM ST ROBERT J. MULDOON – SOMERVILLE | D | 6 | 49 | 0 | 21 | 0 | 2 | 78 |
| | BLANKS | | 10 | 23 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 6 | 47 |
| SENATOR 8TH MIDDLESEX DISTRICT | 50 FOSTER ST. MICHAEL H. HOAR – LOWELL | D | 7 | 50 | 0 | 22 | 0 | 4 | 83 |
| | BLANKS | | 9 | 22 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 4 | 42 |

| OFFICE | CANDIDATE | PARTY | P1 | P2 | P3 | P4 | P5 | P6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| REP. IN GENERAL CT. | BLANKS | | 16 | 72 | 0 | 29 | 0 | 8 | 125 |
| COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MIDDLESEX | GEORGE L. COLSON - 57 PLEASANT ST. WAKEFIELD | D | 5 | 22 | 0 | 13 | 0 | 5 | 45 |
| | DANIEL F. McBRIDE - 304 FELLSWAY EAST MALDEN | D | 8 | 45 | 0 | 19 | 0 | 5 | 77 |
| | BLANKS | | 19 | 77 | 0 | 26 | 0 | 6 | 128 |
| CLERK OF COURTS MIDDLESEX | BLANKS | | 16 | 72 | 0 | 29 | 0 | 8 | 125 |
| REGISTER OF DEEDS MDLSX. NO. DIST. | WILLIAM C. PURCELL - 434 HIGH ST. LOWELL | D | 12 | 61 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 5 | 103 |
| | BLANKS | | 4 | 11 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 22 |
| ASSOC. COMM. MIDDLESEX CO. | CHARLES BRUNELLE | | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| | BLANKS | | 16 | 66 | 0 | 29 | 0 | 8 | 119 |
| STATE COMMITTEE 8 - MIDLSX DISTRICT | ANDREW E. BARRETT - 77 MT. VERNON ST. LOWELL | D | 2 | 19 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 2 | 31 |
| | CORNELIUS F. CRONIN - 344 VARNUM AVE LOWELL | D | 5 | 38 | 0 | 16 | 0 | 3 | 62 |
| | BLANKS | | 9 | 15 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 32 |
| DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION | JOHN E. HARRINGTON - PRINCETON ST | D | 14 | 66 | 0 | 23 | 0 | 5 | 108 |
| | WILLIAM H. QUIGLEY - PRINCETON ST | D | 10 | 66 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 5 | 101 |
| | FRANK J. GARVEY - PRINCETON ST | D | 11 | 69 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 5 | 105 |
| | JAMES J. SAVAGE - SCHOOL ST | D | 10 | 60 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 5 | 95 |
| | KARL M. PERHAM - DALTON RD. | D | 13 | 58 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 5 | 96 |
| | DANIEL E. HALEY - BRIDGE ST | D | 12 | 61 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 5 | 98 |
| | JOHN CONATON - WOODBINE ST. | D | 10 | 59 | 0 | 19 | 0 | 5 | 93 |
| | GEORGE A. McNULTY - BRICKKILN RD | D | 10 | 61 | 0 | 22 | 0 | 5 | 98 |
| | JOHN J. MEAGHER - GORHAM ST | D | 10 | 62 | 0 | 23 | 0 | 5 | 100 |
| | JOHN P. QUIRK - STEDMAN ST | D | 10 | 62 | 0 | 22 | 0 | 5 | 99 |
| | BLANKS | | 50 | 96 | 0 | 81 | 0 | 30 | 257 |
| OWN COMMITTEE | JOHN E. HARRINGTON - PRINCETON ST | D | 16 | 64 | 0 | 17 | 0 | 4 | 101 |
| | WILLIAM H. QUIGLEY - PRINCETON ST | D | 16 | 65 | 0 | 14 | 0 | 5 | 100 |
| | FRANK J. GARVEY - PRINCETON ST | D | 16 | 64 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 4 | 99 |
| | JAMES J. SAVAGE - SCHOOL ST | D | 16 | 59 | 0 | 13 | 0 | 4 | 92 |
| | KARL M. PERHAM - DALTON RD | D | 16 | 59 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 4 | 94 |
| | DANIEL E. HALEY - BRIDGE ST | D | 16 | 60 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 4 | 95 |
| | JOHN CONATON - WOODBINE ST | D | 16 | 59 | 0 | 14 | 0 | 5 | 94 |
| | GEORGE A. McNULTY - BRICKKILN | D | 16 | 60 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 4 | 95 |
| | JOHN J. MEAGHER - GORHAM ST | D | 16 | 59 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 4 | 90 |
| | JOHN P. QUIRK - STEDMAN ST | D | 16 | 61 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 4 | 92 |
| | BLANKS | | 0 | 110 | 0 | 150 | 0 | 38 | 314 |

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Warrant for Special Town Meeting

At Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre Thursday Evening September 20 1928

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex SS
To John E. Johnson, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford.

Greeting:
In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall, at Chelmsford Centre, on Thursday, the 20th day of September current at Seven Thirty 7.30 in the evening then and there to act upon the following Articles, viz:

Article #1.
To see if the Town will vote to transfer to the Department of Outside Relief the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) from money appropriated at the Annual Town Meeting February 13 1928, Under Article 14, for the Completion of the Acton Road, so called; or act in relation thereto.

Article #2.
To see if the Town will vote to transfer to the General Highway Department Fund the sum of One Thousand dollars ($1,000) from the money appropriated at the Annual Town Meeting February 13 1928, Under Article 14 for the completion of the construction of the Acton Road, so-called; or act in relation thereto

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Article #3 –

To see if the Town will vote to transfer from the sum of money appropriated at the Annual Town meeting held Feb. 13 1928, under Article 2 to defray Town charges, and specifically from the Police Department appropriation the sum of Eight Hundred Dollars ($800) to the Department of Outside Relief; or act in relation thereto.

Article #4 –

To see if the Town will vote to purchase from Mabel R. Thornton with money already in the General Highway Fund, for the sum of Fifty Dollars ($50) a right or easement to construct and maintain a dry well and drain on said Thornton land situated on Wightman street in said Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Center of the Town, South Chelmsford North Chelmsford and West Chelmsford and at the School House, East Chelmsford, and at the Golden Cove School House Westlands seven days at least before the time of appointed for holding the meeting aforesaid

Hereof Fail Not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this eleventh day of September in the year of our Lord Nineteen Hundred Twenty Eight

Ralph P. Adams
George Bagley
Elizabeth G. Brown
Selectmen of Chelmsford, Mass

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# Special Town Meeting
## Sept 20 1928

At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, qualified to vote in Town affairs, held pursuant to Warrant duly posted, the meeting being held at the Upper Town Hall at Chelmsford Centre, Thursday Evening Sept 20 1928 at 7.30 P.M. the following business was transacted to wit;

The meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Perham and on a motion by George Clay it was voted to waive the reading of the Warrant.

Under Article #1 – On a motion made by George Rigby, it was voted that the sum of $1,000 be transfered from the Acton Road appropriation made at the Annual Town meeting in February, to the Outside Relief Account.

Under Article #2 – On a motion made by Elphalet S. Brown it was voted that the sum of $1,000 be transfered from the Acton Road appropriation made at the Annual Town meeting in Febuary, to the the Highway General Account.

Under Article #3 – On a motion made by Elphalet S. Brown it was voted that the sum of $350 be transfered from the Police appropriation made in Febuary at the Annual Town meeting to the Outside Relief account.

Under Article #4 – On a motion made by George Rigby it was voted that the Town purchase from Myrl R. Thornton with money already in the Highway General Account for the

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sum of $50 a right or easement to construct and maintain a dry well and drain on said Thornton's land situated on Wightman Street in Auburndale and that the Selectmen be authorized and empowered to sign any papers to this effect.

Voted to adjourn this meeting at 8.15 P.M.

Walter Perham Moderator  Harold Pettman Town Clerk.

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# Warrant For State Election
## November 6th 1928
## Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.

To John E. Johnson, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford.

Greeting,

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in elections to meet in their several polling places, viz:

Precinct 1, Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre
Precinct 2, Town Hall, North Chelmsford
Precinct 3, Lecture Hall, West Chelmsford
Precinct 4, School House, East Chelmsford
Precinct 5, Liberty Hall South Chelmsford
Precinct 6, Golden Cove School House, Westlands

On Tuesday, the Sixth day of November, 1928, being the first Tuesday after the first Monday in said month, at eight o'clock A. M. for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes for the following officers:

Presidential Electors
Governor for this Commonwealth
Lieutenant Governor for this Commonwealth
Secretary for this Commonwealth
Treasurer for this Commonwealth

Auditor for the Commonwealth
Attorney General for the Commonwealth
Senator in Congress for the Commonwealth
Congressman for the Fifth Congressional District
Councillor for the Sixth Councillor District
Senator in the Eighth Senatorial District
One Representative for the General Court in the 1st Representative District
Two County Commissioners for Middlesex County
Clerk of Courts for the County of Middlesex
Register of Deeds for the Northern District of Middlesex County

Vacancies
In Middlesex County, One Associate County Commissioner

And to Act Upon the following Matters

1- Acceptance of the following, "Law Proposed by Initiative Petition". Proposed Law.

"An Act to permit certain sports and games on the Lords Day."

2. Question of Public Policy Under Chap. 53 Sect. 19, General Laws as amended by Chap. 97, Acts of 1925. Question of Public Policy.

"Shall the senator from this district be instructed to vote for a resolution requesting Congress to take action for the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, known as the prohibition amendment?"

The polls will be open from eight o'clock A.M. to eight o'clock P.M.
And you are directed to serve this Warrant

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by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty seventh day of October, A. D., 1928.

Ralph P. Adams
George Rigby
Elphalet G. Brown
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Middlesex ss

Pursuant to the Within Warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of the same at the Post Offices in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, West Chelmsford at the School House & East Chelmsford and at the Golden Cove School House at the Westlands seven days before the date hereof, as within directed.

John E. Johnson
Constable of Chelmsford

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a Legal Meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov. 6 1928 for the purpose of giving in their votes for Electors of President and Vice President of the United States, the following candidates received the following number of votes:

| CANDIDATES | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| FOSTER AND GITLOW W.P. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 |
| HOOVER AND CURTIS (REP) | 841 | 533 | 120 | 142 | 74 | 325 | 2035 |
| REYNOLDS AND CROWLEY (S.L.) | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| SMITH AND ROBINSON (DEM.) | 151 | 474 | 32 | 130 | 31 | 69 | 887 |
| THOMAS AND MAURER. (SOC) | 0 | 4 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 11 |
| BLANKS | 25 | 27 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 7 | 66 |
| WHOLE NUMBER OF BALLOTS | 1018 | 1042 | 153 | 284 | 107 | 403 | 3007 |

Recorded by

Harold C Pettinen

Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held on November 6 1928 for the purpose of bringing in their votes for Governor of the Commonwealth the following candidates received the following number of votes:

| CANDIDATES | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| RECOUNT FRANK G. ALLEN (REP) | ~~815~~ 814 | 540 | 115 | ~~136~~ 135 | 71 | 327 | ~~2004~~ 2002 |
| CHESTER W. BIXBY (W.P) | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| CHARLES H. COLE (DEM) | 140 | 430 | 36 | 120 | 33 | 60 | 819 |
| RECOUNT WASHINGTON COOK. (V.P.E) | ~~3~~ 2 | 2 | 0 | ~~1~~ 0 | 0 | 0 | ~~6~~ 4 |
| MARY DONOVAN HAPGOOD (S.P) | 2 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 11 |
| EDITH HAMILTON MACFADDEN (I.C.) | 0 | ~~2~~ 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | ~~1~~ 0 | ~~4~~ 2 |
| STEPHEN J. SURRIDGE (S.L.P.) | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| RECOUNT BLANKS | ~~55~~ 57 | ~~63~~ 65 | 2 | ~~22~~ 21 | 3 | 13 | ~~158~~ 164 |
| WHOLE NUMBER BALLOTS. | 1018 | 1042 | 153 | 284 | 107 | 403 | 3007 |

Attested by

Harold Attwood
Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held on November 6 1928 for the purpose of bringing in their votes for Lieutenant Governor for this Commonwealth the following candidates received the following number of votes:

| CANDIDATES | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| JOHN CORBIN (W.P) | 5 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 18 |
| HENRY C. HESS (S.L.P) | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| WALTER S. HUTCHINS (S.P) | 3 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 16 |
| JOHN F. MALLEY (DEM) | 119 | 418 | 30 | 112 | 23 | 53 | 755 |
| WILLIAM STERLING YOUNGMAN (REP) | 801 | 522 | 107 | 132 | 73 | 318 | 1953 |
| BLANKS | 88 | 92 | 13 | 32 | 11 | 27 | 263 |
| WHOLE NUMBER OF BALLOTS. | 1018 | 1042 | 153 | 284 | 107 | 403 | 3007 |

Recorded by

Harold Pettigrew
Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held on November 6th 1928 for the purpose of bringing in their votes for Secretary of this Commonwealth the following Candidates received the following number of votes:

| CANDIDATES | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| HARRY J. CANTER (W.P) | 6 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 14 |
| FREDERIC W. COOK (REP) | 793 | 519 | 114 | 133 | 75 | 321 | 1955 |
| OSCAR KINSALAS (S.L.P.) | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| JOSEPH SANTOSUOSSO (DEM) | 96 | 389 | 24 | 103 | 16 | 42 | 670 |
| EDITH M. WILLIAMS (S.P) | 3 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 17 |
| BLANKS | 119 | 123 | 13 | 40 | 16 | 38 | 349 |
| WHOLE NUMBER OF BALLOTS | 1018 | 1042 | 153 | 284 | 107 | 403 | 3007 |

Recorded by

Harold Patterson
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held on November 6th 1928 for the purpose of bringing in their votes for Treasurer of this Commonwealth the following candidates received the following number of votes:

| CANDIDATES | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| JAMES P. BERGIN (DEM.) | 118 | 406 | 25 | 109 | 18 | 50 | 726 |
| ALBERT SPRAGUE COOLIDGE (S.P) | 4 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 14 |
| JOHN W. HAIGIS (REP) | 785 | 505 | 110 | 125 | 71 | 315 | 1911 |
| ALBERT ODDIE (W.P) | 4 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| CHARLES S. ORAM (SLP) | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| BLANKS | 106 | 121 | 17 | 46 | 18 | 36 | 344 |
| WHOLE NUMBER OF BALLOTS | 1018 | 1042 | 153 | 284 | 107 | 403 | 3007 |

Recorded by

Harold C. Petterson
Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held on Nov. 6 1928 for the purpose of bringing in their votes for Auditor of this Commonwealth the following Candidates received the following number of votes:

| CANDIDATES | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| JOHN W. AIKEN (SLP) | 5 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| ALONZO B. COOK (REP) | 763 | 507 | 109 | 129 | 75 | 316 | 1899 |
| DAVID A. EISENBERG (SP) | 2 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 12 |
| EVA HOFFMAN (WP) | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| FRANCIS J. O'GORMAN (DEM) | 117 | 405 | 27 | 110 | 16 | 51 | 726 |
| BLANKS | 128 | 122 | 15 | 40 | 15 | 35 | 355 |
| WHOLE NUMBER OF BALLOTS | 1018 | 1042 | 153 | 284 | 107 | 403 | 3007 |

Recorded by

Harold C Pettiven
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held on Nov 6 1928 for the purpose of bringing in their votes for Attorney General of the Commonwealth the following Candidates received the following number of votes:

| CANDIDATES | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| EDWARD P. BARRY-DEM. | 122 | 416 | 28 | 108 | 20 | 49 | 743 |
| MORRIS I. BECKER-S.L.P. | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| MAX LERNER. W.P. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| JOSEPH WEAVER SHERMAN S.P. | 2 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 17 |
| JOSESPH E. WARNER-REP. | 801 | 508 | 110 | 127 | 73 | 317 | 1936 |
| BLANKS | 90 | 112 | 14 | 41 | 14 | 34 | 305 |
| WHOLE NUMBER OF BALLOTS | 1018 | 1042 | 153 | 284 | 107 | 403 | 3007 |

Recorded by

Harold C Pettison
Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Clarksburg held on Nov 6 1928 for the purpose of bringing in their votes for Senator in Congress the following Candidates received the following number of votes:

| CANDIDATES | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| JOHN J. BALLAM W.P. | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| ALFRED BAKER LEWIS-SP. | 3 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 14 |
| DAVID I. WALSH-DEM. | 172 | 490 | 40 | 134 | 32 | 72 | 940 |
| BENJAMIN LORING YOUNG-REP. | 782 | 491 | 104 | 122 | 71 | 308 | 1878 |
| BLANKS | 59 | 52 | 8 | 25 | 4 | 22 | 170 |
| WHOLE NUMBER OF BALLOTS | 1018 | 1042 | 153 | 284 | 107 | 403 | 3007 |

Recorded by

Ursula Pettersen
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held on Nov. 6 1928 for the purpose of bringing in their votes for Senator in Congress the following candidates received the following number of votes:

| CANDIDATES | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| CORNELIUS F. CRONIN- DEM. | 95 | 410 | 23 | 113 | 19 | 44 | 704 |
| EDITH NOURSE ROGERS- REP. | 886 | 581 | 129 | 158 | 81 | 341 | 2176 |
| BLANKS | 37 | 51 | 1 | 13 | 7 | 18 | 127 |
| WHOLE NUMBER OF BALLOTS | 1018 | 1042 | 153 | 284 | 107 | 403 | 3007 |

Recorded by

Ahola C. Pettes
Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held on Nov. 6 1928 for the purpose of bringing in their votes for councillor in the Sixth District, the following candidates received the following number of votes

| CANDIDATES | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| HARVEY L. BOOTWELL-REP. | 777 | 487 | 112 | 135 | 68 | 320 | 1899 |
| ROBERT J. MOLDOON-DEM. | 113 | 408 | 23 | 112 | 16 | 52 | 724 |
| BLANKS | 128 | 147 | 18 | 37 | 23 | 31 | 384 |
| WHOLE NUMBER OF BALLOTS | 1018 | 1042 | 153 | 284 | 107 | 403 | 3007 |

Recorded by
Harold Pettram
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held on Nov 6 1928 for the purpose of bringing in their votes for Senator in the Eighth Middlesex District the following candidates received the following number of votes:

| CANDIDATES: | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| MICHAEL H. HOAR-DEM. | 122 | 415 | 24 | 115 | 17 | 58 | 751 |
| WALTER PERHAM-REP. | 833 | 542 | 122 | 144 | 83 | 326 | 2050 |
| BLANKS | 63 | 85 | 7 | 25 | 7 | 19 | 206 |
| WHOLE NUMBER OF BALLOTS | 1018 | 1042 | 153 | 284 | 107 | 403 | 3007 |

Recorded by
Harold C Pettee
Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held on Nov. 6, 1928 for the purpose of bringing in their votes for Representative in General Court in the Eleventh Middlesex District, the following candidates received the following number of votes

| CANDIDATES | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| EDWARD J. ROBBINS-REP. | 840 | 576 | 125 | 167 | 90 | 331 | 2129 |
| BLANKS | 178 | 466 | 28 | 117 | 17 | 72 | 878 |
| WHOLE NUMBER OF BALLOTS | 1018 | 1042 | 153 | 284 | 107 | 403 | 3007 |

Recorded By

Harold C. Pettison
Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held on Nov. 6 1928 for the purpose of bringing in their votes for County Commissioner for Middlesex County the following candidates received the following number of votes

| CANDIDATES | Pct 1 | Pct 2 | Pct 3 | Pct 4 | Pct 5 | Pct 6 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| NATHANIEL I. BOWDITCH - REP. | 674 | 413 | 87 | 112 | 64 | 272 | 1622 |
| GEORGE L. COLSON - DEM. | 102 | 318 | 21 | 95 | 14 | 41 | 591 |
| DANIEL F. McBRIDE - DEM. | 104 | 324 | 17 | 79 | 16 | 42 | 582 |
| WALTER C. WARDWELL - REP | 681 | 451 | 97 | 108 | 60 | 292 | 1689 |
| BLANKS | 475 | 578 | 84 | 174 | 60 | 159 | 1530 |
| WHOLE NUMBER OF BALLOTS | 2036 | 2084 | 306 | 568 | 214 | 806 | 6014 |

Recorded By

Agnes Pettman
Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held on Nov. 6 1928 for the purpose of bringing in their votes for Clerk of Courts Middlesex County the following Candidates received the following number of votes

| CANDIDATES | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| JOHN D. MEDEIROS-DEM. | 106 | 367 | 19 | 97 | 13 | 43 | 645 |
| RALPH N. SMITH-REP | 747 | 500 | 107 | 128 | 71 | 297 | 1850 |
| BLANKS | 165 | 175 | 27 | 59 | 23 | 63 | 512 |
| WHOLE NUMBER OF BALLOTS | 1018 | 1042 | 153 | 284 | 107 | 403 | 3007 |

Recorded by
Harold C Atterson
Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held on Nov. 6 1928 for the purpose of bringing in their votes for Register of Deeds Middlesex Northern District the following candidates recieved the following number of votes

| CANDIDATES | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ABEL R. CAMPBELL-REP. | 727 | 442 | 90 | 112 | 56 | 280 | 1707 |
| WILLIAM C. PURCELL-DEM. | 179 | 485 | 43 | 136 | 35 | 76 | 954 |
| BLANKS | 112 | 115 | 20 | 36 | 16 | 47 | 346 |
| WHOLE NUMBER OF BALLOTS | 1018 | 1042 | 153 | 284 | 107 | 403 | 3007 |

Recorded by

Harold Pettman
Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov 6 1928 for the purpose of bringing in their votes for Associate County Commissioner for Middlesex County to fill vacancy the following Candidates received the following number of votes

| CANDIDATES | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| MELVIN G. ROGERS - REP. | 770 | 533 | 112 | 143 | 70 | 304 | 1932 |
| BLANKS | 248 | 509 | 41 | 141 | 37 | 99 | 1075 |
| WHOLE NUMBER OF BALLOTS | 1018 | 1042 | 153 | 284 | 107 | 403 | 3007 |

Recorded by

Ahola Pettersen
Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held Nov 6 1928 for the purpose of bringing in their votes on the following question,

Law Proposed by Initiative Petition

Shall the proposed law which provides that it shall be lawful in any city which accepts the act by vote of its city council and in any town which accepts the act by vote of its inhabitants, to take part in or witness any athletic outdoor sport or game except horse racing, automobile racing, boxing or hunting with firearms on the Lord's day between 2 and 6 P.M.; that such sports or games shall take place on such playgrounds, parks or other places as may be designated in a license issued by certain licensing authorities; that no sport or game shall be permitted in a place other than a public playground or park within one thousand feet of any regular place of worship; that the charging of admission fees or the taking of collections or the receiving of remuneration by any person in charge of or participating in any such sport or game shall not be prohibited; that the license may be revoked; and that in cities and towns in which amateur sports or games are permitted under existing law such amateur sports or games may be held until the proposed law is accepted or the provisions of the existing law fail of acceptance on resubmission to the people, which law was disapproved in the Senate by a vote of 9 in the affirmative and 22 in the negative, and in the House of Representatives by a vote of 93 in the affirmative and 110 in the negative, be approved?

And the following is the result:

| | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| YES | 249 | 455 | 51 | 133 | 31 | 98 | 1017 |
| NO | 532 | 351 | 68 | 88 | 49 | 217 | 1305 |
| Blanks | 237 | 236 | 34 | 63 | 27 | 88 | 685 |
| WHOLE NUMBER OF BALLOTS | 1018 | 1042 | 153 | 284 | 107 | 403 | 3007 |

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

At a legal meeting of the qualified voters of the Town of Chelmsford held on Nov. 6 1928 for the purpose of bringing in their votes on the following question:

Question of Public Policy

Shall the senator from this district be instructed to vote for a resolution requesting Congress to take action for the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, known as the prohibition amendment?

| | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| YES | 259 | 471 | 49 | 135 | 32 | 105 | 1051 |
| NO | 549 | 355 | 77 | 75 | 47 | 210 | 1313 |
| BLANKS | 210 | 216 | 27 | 74 | 28 | 88 | 643 |
| WHOLE NUMBER OF BALLOTS | 1018 | 1042 | 153 | 284 | 107 | 403 | 3007 |

Recorded by
Harold C Patterson
Town Clerk

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Nov. 13 1928

In accordance with section 125, Chapter 54, of the General Laws of Massachusetts, a legal meeting of the Town Clerks in the Eleventh Middlesex Representative District was held on November 13 1928 at 2.30 P.M. at the Town Clerk's Office, Chelmsford, Mass. for the purpose of declaring the elected Representative in the General Court at the State Election held on Nov. 6 1928, the result was as follows:

| CANDIDATE | ACTON | BEDFORD | CARLISLE | CHELMSFORD | LITTLETON | WESTFORD | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| EDWARD J. ROBBINS OF CHELMSFORD | 830 | 476 | 187 | 2129 | 541 | 662 | 4825 |
| BLANKS | 317 | 258 | 56 | 878 | 140 | 482 | 2131 |
| WHOLE NUMBER OF BALLOTS | 1147 | 734 | 243 | 3007 | 681 | 1144 | 6956 |

Grace F. Tuttle Town Clerk of Acton
Harold J. Wellington " " " Bedford
Ruth C. Wilkins " " " Carlisle
Harold C. Pettison " " " Chelmsford
Elliott M. Young " " " Littleton
Charles L. Eldreth " " " Westford

Recorded by
Harold C. Pettison
Town Clerk

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Warrant for Annual Town Meeting
February 4 1929 and February 11 1929

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, S.S.
To John E. Johnson, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford.

Greeting:
In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby requested to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in their several Polling Places, viz:

Precinct One, Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre
Precinct Two, Town House, North Chelmsford
Precinct Three, Historical Hall, West Chelmsford
Precinct Four, School House, East Chelmsford
Precinct Five, Liberty Hall, South Chelmsford
Precinct Six, Golden Cove School House, Westlands

on Monday, the Fourth day of February, 1929 being the first Monday in said month, at 12:00 o'clock noon, for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes for the following officers:

Moderator for one year
One Selectman for three years
One member of the Board of Public Welfare for three years.
Town Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for one year
One Assessor for three years
One Tree Warden for one year
One member of the Board of Health for three years
One School Committeeman for three years
One Park Commissioner for three years
One Cemetery Commissioner for three years

One Cemetery Commissioner for two years to fill an unexpired term
Two Trustees for Adams Library for three years
One Insurance Fund Commissioner for three years
One Constable for one year

All on one ballot

The polls will be open from 12:00 m. to 8:00 P.M., and to meet in the Town Hall of Chelmsford Center on the following, Monday the Eleventh day of February, 1929, at 9.30 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Article #1 – To hear reports of Town Officers and committees; or act in relation thereto.

Article #2 – To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray Town Charges for the current year.

Article #3 – To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year; also in such other matters as may arise requiring in their judgement the action of such agent, and to employ counsel therefor.

Article #4 – To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenues of the current financial year

Article #5 – To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer, a sum not exceeding

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Two Thousand Dollars ($2000) to be used as a reserve fund at the discretion of the Finance Committee, as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 6; or act in relation thereto.

Article #6 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Dollars ($400), or what other sum for State Aid; or act in relation thereto.

Article #7 – To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer, a sufficient sum with which to meet unpaid bills of 1928; or act in relation thereto.

Article #8 – To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation for the following additional lights, and will raise and appropriate sufficient money to meet the expense thereof, viz:

Six lights on Carlisle Road
Four lights on Old Westford Road
Five lights on Richardson Road
Seven lights on Stant Road
Three lights on Manning Road
Three lights on Oak Knoll Ave.
Three lights on Hunstable Road
Four lights on Robbins Hill Road
Six lights on Proctor Road
Three lights on Littleton Road
Six lights on Pine Hill Road
One light on Bridge St.

Or act in relation thereto

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Article #9 – To see if the Town will vote to accept John Street as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article #10 – To see if the Town will vote to accept James Street as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article #11 – To see if the Town will vote to accept Larkin Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article #12 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Five Hundred Dollars ($2500) or some other sum, for the purpose of constructing a Cement bridge on Billerica Street and the approches thereto; Two Thirds of the expense of said construction to be borne equally by the County and Commonwealth; or act in relation thereto.

Article #13 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1000) or some other sum for the purpose of continuing reconstruction of the Old Westford Road so called; Two Thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the County and Commonwealth; or act in relation thereto.

Article #14 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three

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Hundred Dollars ($300) or some other sum and elect a Director, the money to be expended by and the director to serve in cooperation with the Middlesex County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture in the work of the Middlesex County Extension Service under the provisions of Section 40 to 45, Chapter 128 General Laws of Massachusetts.

Article #15 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Forty Dollars ($40) for the purpose of purchasing a flag for use at the Common in the North Village; or act in relation thereto.

Article #16 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eleven Hundred Dollars ($1100), for the purpose of purchasing for the Highway Department a new gravel loader and to authorize the transfer to the seller the old gravel loader as part payment thereof; or act in relation thereto.

Article #17 – To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell land now owned by the Town situated on the northerly side of Middlesex Street easterly of Riverside Cemetery in that part of Chelmsford called North Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

Article #18 – To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasurer the sum of Six Hundred Dollars ($600) to provide for wiring and fixtures in the Adams Library; or act in relation thereto.

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Article #19 — To see if the Town will appoint and authorize a committee to formulate plans for a celebration to be held on the Town Chelmsford's 275th Anniversary in the year 1930; or act in relation thereto.

Article #20 — To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Hundred Dollars ($600) or some other sum, for the purpose of surfacing and grading the grounds of the "Westlands School", situated on the Platten Road; or act in relation thereto.

Article #21 — To see if the Town will vote to amend the present By-Laws by inserting in place of Article 8, said article 8 having been disapproved by the Attorney General, the following article:

"That for the construction of a new sidewalk or the reconstruction of a sidewalk with material of more permanent character than that with which it was originally constructed the board making the order shall assess fifty per cent of the cost upon abutting estates, but the total assessment upon any individual estate shall not exceed one per cent of the value thereof as fixed by the last preceding annual assessment for taxes."

This By-Law is made to conform with Section 26, Chapter 83, of the General Laws, or act in relation thereto.

Article #22 — To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars ($1500) or some other sum with which to construct a concrete sidewalk with stone curbing at locations to be selected by the Board of

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Selectmen and the money to be expended by the Board of Selectmen; or act in relation thereto.

Article 23 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of constructing a concrete sidewalk with stone curbing on Billerica Street, so-called, to be located as follows: Beginning at the termination of the present concrete sidewalk on the north side of Billerica Street and running in an easterly direction a distance of 1209 feet. Said walk to be six feet in width; or act in relation thereto.

Article 24 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eighty Two Dollars and Fifty Cents ($82.50) for the purpose of indemnifying Edward Hyden for injuries received and loss of service because received at the Wilson Fire on July 8 1928; or act in relation thereto.

Article 25 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars ($500) for the purpose of purchasing three fire alarm boxes from the Gamewell - Fire Alarm Company, which are now installed in the North Village; or act in relation thereto.

Article 26 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed Three Hundred Dollars ($300) for the purpose of grading the grounds at the fire

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house in East Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

Article 27 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred Dollars, for the purpose of gravelling and resurfacing Albina Street; or act in relation thereto.

Article 28 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four thousand dollars ($4000) or some other sum for the purpose of installing a toilet system in the Old Princeton Street School Building; or act in relation thereto.

Article 29 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Forty Five dollars ($3045) or what other sum, for the purpose of paying for the cost of repairs made at the East Chelmsford Grammar School and to pay for whatever repairs that may be necessary to put the said school house in proper condition; or act in relation thereto.

Article 30 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fourteen Hundred Dollars ($1400) for the purpose of installing an oil burning system in the Chelmsford High School Building; or act in relation thereto.

Article 31 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Dollars for the purpose of improving the Varney Playground at North Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

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Article 32 - To see if the Town will vote to authorize and empower the Board of Selectmen to accept a deed in behalf of the Town from the United States Worsted Corporation containing a provision that a right of way different from the one therein granted and different from the one now in use may be substituted by the said United States Worsted Corporation at any time in the future at its election; or act in relation thereto.

Article 33 - To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars ($1500) or what other sum, for the purpose of purchasing a tract of land consisting of about 15 acres more or less situated westerly of the Richardson Road, southerly and northerly of Fish Road, so-called, in that part of Chelmsford called North Chelmsford, for the purpose of a municipal dump; or act in relation thereto.

Article 34 - In the event of an affirmative vote under Article 33, to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Dollars ($200) for the purpose of cutting brush, trees and otherwise putting the dump and its approaches in proper condition for use; or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Office in the Center of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford and West Chelmsford, and at the Golden Cove School House, Westlands, seven days at least before

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the time appointed for holding the first meeting aforesaid.

Hereof Fail not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the first meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twenty second day of January, in the year of Our Lord Nineteen hundred and twenty-nine

George Rigby
Eliphalet G. Brown
Selectmen of Chelmsford

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss. Chelmsford, Massachusetts

Pursuant to the within Warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of the same at the Post Offices in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, West Chelmsford and at the School House East Chelmsford and at the Golden Cove School House at the Westlands, seven days before the date hereof as within directed.

John E. Johnson
Constable of Chelmsford

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At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs, held in the six precincts of the Town, pursuant to Warrant duly posted, meeting held as directed on February 4 1929. the following persons received the number of votes set against their respective names, as follows:

| OFFICE | CANDIDATE | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| MODERATOR | FOR ONE YEAR<br>WALTER PERHAM - WESTFORD ST. | 449 | 277 | 83 | 94 | 57 | 152 | 1112 |
| | BLANK'S | 53 | 157 | 17 | 38 | 7 | 29 | 301 |
| SELECTMAN FOR 3 YEARS | FRANK J. LUPIEN - WESTFORD ST. | 231 | 233 | 75 | 59 | 22 | 131 | 751 |
| | KARL M. PERHAM - DALTON ROAD | 262 | 187 | 23 | 68 | 42 | 45 | 627 |
| | BLANKS | 9 | 14 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 35 |
| BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE - 3 YEARS | FRANK J. LUPIEN - WESTFORD ST. | 223 | 223 | 72 | 52 | 23 | 126 | 719 |
| | KARL M. PERHAM - DALTON ROAD | 257 | 182 | 24 | 69 | 41 | 49 | 622 |
| | BLANKS | 22 | 29 | 4 | 11 | 0 | 6 | 72 |
| BOARD OF HEALTH FOR 3 YEARS | MILTON G. HAIRE - DUNSTABLE RD. | 74 | 255 | 28 | 9 | 21 | 25 | 412 |
| | J. CLARK OSTERHOUT - MILL ROAD | 259 | 91 | 27 | 62 | 25 | 64 | 528 |
| | ARTHUR ROBINSON - NEW FLETCHER ST. | 119 | 50 | 26 | 41 | 14 | 74 | 324 |
| | BLANKS | 50 | 38 | 19 | 20 | 4 | 18 | 149 |
| TOWN TREASURER AND TAX COLL. 1 YEAR | ERVIN W. SWEETSER - CHELMSFORD ST. | 443 | 316 | 87 | 102 | 60 | 158 | 1166 |
| | BLANKS | 59 | 118 | 13 | 30 | 4 | 23 | 247 |
| ASSESSOR FOR 3 YEARS | WARREN WRIGHT - ROBIN HILL RD. | 446 | 276 | 85 | 86 | 61 | 149 | 1139 |
| | BLANKS | 56 | 158 | 15 | 46 | 3 | 32 | 274 |
| SCHOOL COMMITTEEMAN 3 YEARS | JOHN A. McADAMS - DALTON ROAD | 299 | 319 | 64 | 75 | 27 | 153 | 937 |
| | ARTHUR H. WILBUR - MANNING ROAD | 139 | 67 | 20 | 53 | 27 | 24 | 330 |
| | BLANKS | 64 | 48 | 16 | 4 | 10 | 4 | 146 |

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| OFFICE | CANDIDATE | P-1 | P-2 | P-3 | P-4 | P-5 | P-6 | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| TRUSTEES | FRANCES CLARK- BILLERICA ST. | 400 | 214 | 64 | 70 | 50 | 125 | 923 |
| FOR ADAMS | WILSON WATERS- BILLERICA ST. | 424 | 215 | 72 | 65 | 55 | 138 | 969 |
| LIBRARY- 3 YRS. | BLANKS | 180 | 439 | 64 | 129 | 23 | 99 | 934 |
| TREE WARDEN | WILLIAM SHANKS- CHELMSFORD ST. | 443 | 290 | 87 | 95 | 56 | 163 | 1134 |
| FOR 1 YEAR | BLANKS | 59 | 144 | 13 | 37 | 8 | 18 | 279 |
| INS. FUND | CHARLES DELAHAYE- ADAMS ST. | 243 | 82 | 53 | 49 | 18 | 70 | 515 |
| COMMISSIONER | ALFRED FREEZE- WASHINGTON ST. | 123 | 296 | 30 | 33 | 23 | 58 | 563 |
| 3 YRS. | BLANKS | 136 | 56 | 17 | 50 | 23 | 53 | 335 |
| CEMETERY | BAYARD C. DEAN- SCHOOL ST. | 381 | 264 | 88 | 73 | 51 | 136 | 993 |
| COMMISSIONER | | | | | | | | |
| 3 YRS. | BLANKS | 121 | 170 | 12 | 59 | 13 | 45 | 420 |
| CEMETERY | C. WESLEY LYONS- ELM ROAD | 408 | 244 | 78 | 71 | 63 | 139 | 1003 |
| COMMISSIONER | | | | | | | | |
| 2 YEARS | | | | | | | | |
| UNEXPIRED TERM | BLANKS | 74 | 190 | 22 | 61 | 1 | 42 | 410 |
| PARK | MICHAEL J. WELSH- CHURCH ST. | 361 | 334 | 80 | 97 | 50 | 131 | 1053 |
| COMMISSIONER | | | | | | | | |
| 3 YEARS | BLANKS | 141 | 100 | 20 | 35 | 14 | 50 | 360 |
| | TOTAL VOTE BY PRECINCTS | 502 | 434 | 100 | 132 | 64 | 181 | 1413 |
| | TOTAL REGISTERED VOTERS | 1059 | 1105 | 163 | 305 | 118 | 418 | 3168 |

Recorded by,

Ethel A. Pettigrew
Town Clerk of Chelmsford

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# OFFICERS ELECTED FEB. 4TH. 1929

| OFFICE | ELECTED | QUALIFIED | BEFORE WHOM |
|---|---|---|---|
| MODERATOR | WALTER PERHAM | Feb 11 1929 | Harold Pettison |
| SELECTMAN | FRANK J. LUPIEN | Feb 11 1929 | Harold Pettison |
| BD. PUB. WELFARE | FRANK J. LUPIEN | Feb 11 1929 | Harold Pettison |
| BD. OF HEALTH | J. CLARK OSTERHOUT | Feb 11 1929 | Harold Pettison |
| TOWN TREAS. & COLL. | ERVIN W. SWEETSER | Feb 18 1929 | " " " |
| ASSESSOR | WARREN WRIGHT | Feb 11 1929 | Harold Pettison |
| CONSTABLE | JOHN E. JOHNSON | | |
| SCHOOL COMMITTEE | JOHN A. McADAMS | Feb 11 1929 | Harold Pettison |
| TRUSTEES FOR ADAMS LIBRARY | FRANCES CLARK<br>WILSON WATERS | | |
| TREE WARDEN | WILLIAM SHANKS | Feb 12 1929 | Harold Pettison |
| INS. FD. COMM. | ALFRED F. FREEZE | Feb 18 1929 | " " " |
| CEM. COM. 3 YRS. | BAYARD C. DEAN | | |
| CEM. COM. 2 YRS | C. WESLEY LYONS | | |
| PARK COMM. | MICHAEL J. WELSH. | | |

Harold Pettison
Town Clerk

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Annual Town Meeting

February 11th 1929

At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, qualified to vote in Town affairs held pursuant to Warrant duly posted, the meeting was held at the Upper Town Hall, at Chelmsford Center on Monday Feb 11 1929 at 9.30 A.M. and the following business was transacted, as follows:

Under Article #1 — To hear reports of Town Officers and Committees,

It was voted to accept the Town Report as printed with typographical errors corrected.

Herbert C. Sweetser made the following report for the Committee appointed to construct and equip a well at South Chelmsford; The Committee appointed to construct and equip a well at South Chelmsford, have attended to that duty.

After the well was located on the westerly side of the Acton Road opposite the Park, bids were called for and the contract was given to Frank M. Banks of Acton.

The well is now complete and equipped with a deep well pump, the stone trough was moved from the old well to the new, and placed on a cement foundation.

Analysis of the water proved it to be good for drinking and domestic purposes.

(This report was accepted and placed on file)

Wilbur E. Lapham
Archibald Coste
Herbert C. Sweetser, Committee

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Roy Clough reported for the Committee on Improving the Common at Chelmsford Centre, as follows:

The Committee on Improving the Common at Chelmsford Centre cannot at this time make a final report as the contract on this work will not be completed until the fall of this year.

This report was accepted as a report of progress.

George Rigby reported for the Committee appointed to report on the advisability of relocating Central Square, as follows:

This Committee ask for further time to study these conditions and ask that they report at the next Annual Town meeting, and it was so voted.

George Rigby reported for the Selectmen on surveying the street lighting system, as follows:

The Selectmen ask for further time in this matter, and it was so voted.

Frank J. Lupien reported for the Committee appointed to investigate school housing conditions at North Chelmsford, as follows:

This Committee have done nothing since making its last report and do not feel that business conditions warrant any radical change for a few years to come.

This report was accepted and placed on file.

Town Clerk Harold C. Patterson read a report submitted by the New Grade School Building Committee, as follows;

At the Annual Town Meeting held on Monday, Feb. 9 1925 a Committee comprising

of Charles A. Clough, Thomas Varnum, M. Edward Rainey, F. Vincent Kelly and William E. Belliville, were appointed to purchase land, construct, equip, furnish and grade the grounds around a new school building, this school building was completed as voted by the Town, the appropriation for said building was $144,725.00 of this amount $96,144.43 was expended in 1925, $48,211.12 was expended in 1926, $270.00 was expended in 1927, and $162.00 was expended in 1928 leaving a balance of $37.45.

The School Committee have used the building for school purposes since Sept. 1926 and we believe that this is one of the best of school buildings in the County and we ask at this time that the voters act upon this report and that this Committee be discharged.

Charles A. Clough, Chairman
M. Edward Rainey, Secy.
F. Vincent Kelly
William E. Belliville
Thomas Varnum
Building Committee.

George Rigby reported for the Selectmen in regards to the State taking over the Boston and North Road so-called, as follows:

That the Selectmen had petitioned the State in conjunction with the Town of Billerica to take over as State Highways the Boston Road and North Road and that they were waiting a hearing on this matter with State Highway Commissioner.

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Under Article #2 - On a motion made by J. C. Monahan it was voted to postpone this article until after the noon recess, 1 P.M.

Under Article #3 - On a motion made by Ralph P. Adams it was voted; To authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits and to employ counsel to defend and prosecute such suits or claims that may arise.

Under Article #4 - On a motion made by Ralph P. Adams, it was voted; That the Town authorize and empower the Treasurer to borrow money with the approval of the Selectmen from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1 1929, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, for any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of such financial year.

Under Article #5 - On a motion made by J. C. Monahan, Chairman of the Finance Committee it was voted; That the sum of $2000.00 be raised and appropriated to be used as a reserve fund at the discretion of the Finance Committee as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 6.

Under Article #6 - On a motion made by J. C. Monahan, Chairman of the Finance Committee it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $250.00 for State Aid.

Under Article #7 - On a motion made by George Rugby to raise and appropriate the sum of $3180.87 and amended by Irvin Swerton to raise and appropriate the sum of $3282.44 for the

purpose of paying bills contracted for in excess of their appropriation in the year 1928 it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $3282.44 for this purpose the amendment being carried.

Under Article #8 – On a motion made by J.C. Monahan, Chairman of the Finance Committee, it was voted that the sum of $210.00 be raised and appropriated and that the Selectmen be authorized to contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation for ten additional lights at locations to be designated by the Selectmen.

Under Article #9 – On a motion made by Ralph P. Adams it was voted to accept John Street as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk

Under Article #10 – On a motion made by Eliphalet G. Brown, it was voted to accept James Street as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk.

Under Article #11 – On a motion made by Eliphalet G. Brown, it was voted to accept Agnes Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk.

Under Article #12 – On a motion made by Eliphalet G. Brown, it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Five Hundred Dollars ($2500) for the purpose of building a Cement bridge and the approaches thereto on Bellevue Street. The amount

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of money representing one-third the cost of said bridge and approaches, the other two-thirds of the expense to be borne equally by the County and Commonwealth.

Under Article #13 – On a motion made by George Rigby that $1,000 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of continuing reconstruction of the Old Westford Road so-called. This amount of money representing one third the cost thereof, two thirds of said cost to be borne equally by the County and Commonwealth, an amendment to the motion was made by John J. Brennan to dismiss this article, the amendment was defeated and the original motion was carried.

Under Article #14 – On a motion made by Perley Kimball it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 the money to be expended by a director and the director to serve in cooperation with the Middlesex County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture in the work of the Middlesex County Extension Service, under the provision of Sections 40 to 45 Chapter 128 General Laws of Massachusetts. On a motion by Arnold C Perkins, Perley Kimball was elected the director

Under Article #15 – On a motion made by Michael J. Welsh it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $40.00 for the purpose of purchasing a flag to be used at the common at North Chelmsford.

Under Article #16. On a motion made by George Rugby it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $850.00 for the purpose of purchasing for the Highway Department a new gravel loader, and to authorize the Selectmen to transfer in behalf of the Town the title of the old gravel loader to the seller as part payment for the new gravel loader.

Under Article #17. On a motion made by Edward J. Robbins it was voted to dismiss this article relating to the sale of a certain parcel of land situated adjacent to the Riverside Cemetery in North Chelmsford.

At this point it was voted to adjourn this meeting until 1 P.M. and to take up Article 18 after the noon recess.

The meeting was resumed at 1 P.M. and as was voted in the forenoon the next article in order is Article #2.

Under Article #2. It was voted to raise and appropriate the following sums of money to defray the Town charges for the current year:

| | |
|---|---|
| General Government: | |
| Moderators Salary | $10.00 |
| Selectmen Salaries | 750.00 |
| Selectmen Expense | 200.00 |
| Town Clerk & Accountant Salary | 2000.00 |
| Town Clerk & Accountant Expense | 200.00 |
| Collector and Treasurer Salary | 1800.00 |
| Collector and Treasurers Expense | 200.00 |
| Treasurers Bond | 535.70 |
| Assessors Salary | 1800.00 |
| Assessors Expense | 150.00 |
| Town Counsel Salary | 300.00 |

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|---|---|
| Election and Registration | 500.00 |
| Finance Committee Expense | 25.00 |
| Pub. Bldgs. Janitors Salary | 950.00 |
| Pub. Bldgs. Fuel Light Water | 725.00 |
| Pub. Bldgs. Repairs | 400.00 |
| Pub. Bldgs. Other Expense | 65.00 |
| Total for General Government | $10,610.70 |

Protection of Persons and Property:

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| Police | $7100.00 |
| Fire Dept. Salaries, Firemen & Engineers | 3200.00 |
| " " Janitor Salaries | 350.00 |
| " " Engineers Expense | 75.00 |
| " " Labor & Expense at Fires | 600.00 |
| " " Supplies | 200.00 |
| " " Building Repairs | 300.00 |
| " " Telephone & Alarms | 650.00 |
| " " Apparatus | 1000.00 |
| " " Hose Equipment | 600.00 |
| " " Fuel, Light & Water | 300.00 |
| " " Rent | 430.00 |
| " " Insurance Firemen | 125.00 |
| Hydrant Service Chelmsford Centre | 750.00 |
| " " North Chelmsford | 750.00 |
| " " West Chelmsford | 20.00 |
| Sealer of Weights & Measures | 225.00 |
| Forest Dept. | 2000.00 |
| Tree Warden | 200.00 |
| Forest Fires | 1000.00 |
| Total for Protection of Persons and Property | $19,875.00 |

Health and Sanitation:

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| Board of Health Salaries | 850.00 |
| " " " Agents Salary | 300.00 |
| " " " Aid | 650.00 |
| " " " Maintenance | 200.00 |
| " " " Meat Inspector Salary | 600.00 |

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| Board of Health Milk Inspector Salary | 350.00 |
| Care of Warren Ave. Dump | 100.00 |
| Animal Inspector Salary | 200.00 |
| Physicians Salaries | 100.00 |
| Total for Health and Sanitation | $3400.00 |

Highways:

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| Superintendents Salary | $2500.00 |
| General Highways | 20,000.00 |
| Brush Maintenance | 2500.00 |
| Oil | 8000.00 |
| Cutting Brush | 600.00 |
| Street Signs | 150.00 |
| Street Lighting | 15,450.96 |
| Total for Highways | $49,200.96 |

Public Welfare:

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|---|---|
| Overseers Salaries | $325.00 |
| " Maintenance | 20.00 |
| Outside Prov | 11000.00 |
| Infirmary Supt Salary | 900.00 |
| " Expenses | 2400.00 |
| " Repairs | 150.00 |
| Soldiers Relief | 500.00 |
| Total for Public Welfare | $15,295.00 |

School Department:

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| Administration | $4350.00 |
| Instruction | 68,300.00 |
| New Equipment | 500.00 |
| Operation & Maintenance | 17,300.00 |
| Auxiliary Agencies | 11,200.00 |
| Total for School Dept | $101,650.00 |
| Vocational School - Plus Hwy Tot | $3500.00 |

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Libraries:

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| Adams Library | $1400.00 |
| North Chelmsford Library | 1100.00 |
| Total for Libraries | $2500.00 |

Recreation and Unclassified:

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| Parks | $1000.00 |
| Memorial Day | 200.00 |
| Town Clock | 30.00 |
| Ins. on Public Bldgs | 540.00 |
| Band Concerts | 400.00 |
| Ins. Sinking Fund | 3500.00 |
| Treas. " " Bond | 40.00 |
| Town Reports | 673.80 |
| Total for Recreation & Unclassified | $6383.80 |

Cemeteries:

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| Commonwealth Soldiers | 105.00 |
| Forefathers Cemetery | 450.00 |
| Hart Pond " | 450.00 |
| Pine Ridge " | 450.00 |
| Riverside " | 450.00 |
| West Chelmsford " | 450.00 |
| Farrows " | 150.00 |
| Total for Cemeteries | 2505.00 |

Under Article #18 - On a motion made by Albert Stevens to appropriate from money already in the hands of the Treasury the sum of $600 for the purpose of wiring and purchasing fixtures for the Adams Library, a motion was made by Town Clerk Harold C. Patterson to amend the motion by raising and appropriating this sum, the amendment was carried and it was voted to raise and appropriate $600.00

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Under Article #19 - On a motion made by Roy A. Clough that a Committee of seven be appointed to formulate plans for a celebration to be held on the Town of Chelmsford's 275th Anniversary, and that said Committee bring in their plans and recommendations and report at the next annual town meeting, this motion was amended by Edward J Robbins that the moderator appoint said Committee and it was so voted. The Moderator appointed the following Committee, Charles E. Bartlett - Center; Rev. Wilson Waters, Center; Mr. Fred E. Varney - South; Capt John J. Monahan, West; Henry C Shedd - East; Sidney E. Phipps, South; and Wilbur Call - Westland.

Under Article #20 - It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $600.00 for the purpose of surfacing and grading the grounds of the Westland School situated on the Hallton Road.

Under Article #21 - In regards to amending the By Laws, it was voted to dismiss this Article.

Under Article #22 - In regards to appropriating money for sidewalks, it was voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article #23 - In regards to the construction of a sidewalk on Billerica Street it was voted to dismiss this Article.

Under Article #24 - On a motion made by Archibald Cohe, it was voted to raise and appropriate for the purpose of indemnifying Edward Hayden for injuries recieved and loss of service recieved at the Wilson Fire on July 8 1928, the sum of $82.50

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Under Article 25 - On a motion made by Sidney Draper it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $250 for the purchasing of three fire alarm boxes from the Gamewell Fire Alarm Co. which are now installed at the North Village. The sum of money to be expended under the direction of the Fire Engineers.

Under Article #26 - In regards to grading the grounds at the East Chelmsford Fire House, it was voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article #27 - It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $300 for the purpose of gravelling and resurfacing Albina Street in East Chelmsford.

Under Article #28 - On a motion made by Edward B. Russell it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $3800 for the purpose of installing a toilet system in the Old Princeton Street school building. The installation and the expenditure of this appropriation to be made under the direction of the school committee.

Under Article #29 - On a motion made by Edward B. Russell it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1240.69 for the purpose of paying for the cost of repairs made at the East Chelmsford Grammar School and to pay for whatever repairs that may be necessary to put the said school house in proper condition and repair

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Under Article #30 - In regards to purchasing an oil burning system to be used at the High School, it was voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article #31 - On a motion made by Fred E Varney it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Dollars for the purpose of improving the Varney Playground in North Chelmsford. The Moderator appointed William Shanks, Royal Shawcross and Fred E Varney to constitute a committee to work in conjunction with the Park Commission to expend this appropriation for said improvement as their judgement directs.

Under Article #32 - On a motion made by George Rigby it was voted to instruct the Selectmen not to accept a deed from the United States Worsted Corporation containing the following provision, viz:

"That the corporation, its successors and assigns shall have the right at any time or times to substitute for the easements herein before granted or for the easement or easements at the time being vested in the town, its successors or assigns in substitution therefor, a general right of way over any strip of land, whether now owned by the corporation or not, leading from any public way, whether now in existance or hereafter created, to said triangular parcel of land.

Under Article #33 - In regards to the purchase of 15 acres of land on Fish Road so-called to be used for a public dump, it was voted to lay this article on the table until the Annual Town

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meeting in 1930.

Under Article #34. It was voted to dismiss this article in regards to cutting brush, trees and otherwise putting the dump in proper condition for use.

Voted to adjourn this meeting at 4 P.M.

Arnold C Pettyson
Town Clerk

Walter Pinham
Moderator

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# OFFICERS APPOINTED BY SELECTMEN FEB. 16 1929

| OFFICE | NAME | WHEN QUALIFIED | BEFORE WHOM |
|---|---|---|---|
| | JOHN C. MONAHAN | | |
| FINANCE | GEORGE W. DAY | Feb 19 1929 | Town Clerk |
| COMMITTEE | EMILE E. PAIGNON | Feb 28 1929 | |
| | JOHN J. MEAGHER | Feb 1929 | Frank Fay N.P. |
| | JAMES W. STEVENS | | |
| | JAMES A. GRANT | | |
| TOWN COUNSEL | JOHN H. VALENTINE | | |
| SUPT. STREETS | WILLIAM SHANKS | Feb 20 1929 | Town Clerk |
| REGISTRAR OF VOTERS 3 YRS. | G. CARLTON BROWN | Apr. 1 1929 | Town Clerk |
| TANITORS OF TOWN HALLS | JOHN B. WRIGLEY – CENTRE | Feb 23 1929 | Town Clerk |
| SEALER OF WGHTS. & MEAS. | CURTIS A. AIKEN | Feb 20 1929 | Town Clerk |
| SUPT. OF BURIALS OF SOLDIERS AND SAILORS | WALTER PERHAM | | |
| MEASURERS OF SAWDUST | PEARL T. DURRELL | Feb 1929 | Norman P. Moore N.P. |
| | CARL DUNNING | " " | " " " " |
| | RICHARD E. DAVIS | " " | " " " " |
| WEIGHERS OF COAL & COKE | HAROLD D. MACDONALD | Mar 8 1929 | Town Clerk |
| | EDWARD T. HEALY | Mar. 11 1929 | " |
| | JOHN J. DUNIGAN | Mar. 3 1929 | Town Clerk |
| | ARTHUR HEALY | July 29 1929 | H.C. Swenton J.P. |
| | JAMES LONG | | |
| | MARY C. HEALY | March 11 1929 | Town Clerk |
| | SARAH DUNIGAN | Apr 2 1929 | F.J. Garvey N.P. |
| | JOHN A. HEALY | Aug 24 1929 | Town Clerk |

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| OFFICE | NAME | WHEN QUALIFIED | BEFORE WHOM |
|---|---|---|---|
| WEIGHERS OF COAL AND COKE | JOHN A. HEALY | Aug 24 1928 | Town Clerk |
| | BURTON GOULD | | |
| ANIMAL INSP'TR | ARNOLD PERHAM | May 9 1929 | R.C. Hoylton J.P. |
| WEIGHERS OF HAY | HAROLD D. MACDONALD | Nov. 8 1929 | Town Clerk |
| | MYRON A. QUEEN | Feb 1929 | Norman P. Moore J.P. |
| MEASURERS OF LUMBER | MYRON A. QUEEN | Feb 1929 | Norman P. Moore J.P. |
| | PEARL DURRELL | Feb 1929 | " " " " |
| | CARL DUNNING | " " | " " " " |
| | RICHARD E. DAVIS | Feb 1929 | Norman P. Moore J.P. |
| | JAMES A. BERTON | Feb 1929 | " " " " |
| | ARTHUR LA PRICE | Feb 1929 | Norman P. Moore J.P. |
| | OSCAR PALM | Feb 1929 | Norman P. Moore J.P. |
| | HARRY L. PARKHURST | | |
| | FRANCIS O. DUTTON | Mar. 12 1929 | Town Clerk |
| | WALTER EDWARDS | | |
| | JOSEPH ERWIN | | |
| | EDWARD B. RUSSELL | | |
| MEASURERS OF WOOD | MYRON A. QUEEN | Feb 1929 | Norman P. Moore J.P. |
| | PEARL T. DURRELL | " " | " " " " |
| | CARL DUNNING | " " | " " " " |
| | RICHARD E. DAVIS | " " | " " " " |
| | ERVIN W. SWEETSER | | |
| | HOSMER W. SWEETSER | March 7 1929 | Town Clerk |
| | HARRY L. PARKHURST | | |
| | JAMES F. DUNIGAN | | |
| MEASURER OF LOGS | JAMES A. BERTON | Feb 1929 | Norman P. Moore J.P. |

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| OFFICE | NAME | WHEN QUALIFIED | BEFORE WHOM |
|---|---|---|---|
| FENCE VIEWERS | WILLIAM REID | Feb 23 1929 | Town Clerk |
| | GEORGE A. McNULTY | | |
| WEIGHERS OF MERCHANDISE | JAMES F. LEAHY | Mar. 2 1929 | Town Clerk |
| | HAROLD D. MACDONALD | Mar 8 1929 | |
| | SINAI SIMARD | Mar 2 1929 | " " |
| | MARY C. HEALY | | |
| | WILLIAM BROWN | Feb 27 1929 | Walter J Chase J.P. |
| | EDWARD T. HEALY | | |
| | WALTER PERHAM | Feb 27 1929 | Town Clerk |
| | SIDNEY E. PERHAM | | |
| | JAMES P. WALKER | Feb 27 1929 | John H Valentine J.P. |
| | HERBERT S. RUSSELL | March 14 1929 | Town Clerk |
| | JAMES H. LONG | | |
| | JAMES F. DUNIGAN | | |
| | CLARENCE LEAVITT | Feb 27 1929 | John P Picken J.P. |
| | JOSEPH HEHIR | Feb 23 1929 | Walter J Chase J.P. |
| MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE | GEORGE PETERSON | Feb 23 1929 | Harvey Pettee J.P. |
| | J. CARROL MONAHAN | | |
| | FRED WIGGIN | | |
| Supt. Moth Dept | WILLIAM SHANKS | Feb 20 1929 | Harvey Pettee J.P. |
| Weighers. and Meas. Sand + Gravel | ROY BONTEL | March 23 1929 | Town Clerk |
| | VICTOR BONTEL | " | |
| FOREST WARDEN | SIDNEY E. DUPEE | May 2 1929 | Town Clerk |
| FIRE ENGINEERS | SIDNEY DUPEE | May 17 1929 | Town Clerk |
| | ARCHIBALD COOKE | May 21 1929 | Town Clerk |
| | WILLIS MAC COMB | | |

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Warrant For Special Town Meeting

At Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Center
Wednesday Evening March 20 1929

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss
To John E. Johnson, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford.

Greeting:
In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall, at Chelmsford Centre, on Wednesday the twentieth day of March, current at eight (8:00) o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Article #1 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Dollars, or what other sum, to be used by the police department for the protection of life and property, or act in relation thereto

Article #2 In the event of an affirmative vote under Article #1, to see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to appoint a permanent police officer to do duty in that part of the Town known as Precinct #4; or act in relation thereto.

Article #3 To see if the Town will vote to rescind the action taken under Article 4 at a Special Town meeting held at Chelmsford

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Centre on Wednesday Evening June 6 1928, whereas it was voted to purchase from the United States Worsted Corporation a parcel of land situated in that part of Chelmsford called South Chelmsford and known as "Silesia Park", for the sum of $6000, or act in relation thereto.

Article #4 – To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars, or what other sum, for the purpose of furnishing supplies for fire truck numbered four, or act in thereto.

Article #5 – To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to investigate the advisability of purchasing a certain tract of land with the buildings thereon, from Loren J. Ellinwood, on the northerly side of Main Street in that part of Chelmsford called West Chelmsford, for the purpose of establishing a fire house. Said committee to make its report at the next Annual Town Meeting or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford and West Chelmsford and at the School House East Chelmsford, and at the Golden Cove School House, Westlands seven days at least before the time appointed for holding the meeting aforesaid.

Hereof Fail Not, and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding

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the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this eleventh day of March, in the year of our Lord Nineteen Hundred and Twenty Nine.

George Rigby
Elizabeth G. Brown
Frank J. Lupien

Selectmen of Chelmsford

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex ss Chelmsford

Pursuant to the within Warrant I have notified and warned the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of the same at the Post Offices in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford North Chelmsford, West Chelmsford and at the School House in East Chelmsford and at the Golden Cove School House in the Westlands seven days before the date hereof as within directed

John E. Johnson
Constable of Chelmsford

# Special Town Meeting

## March 20 1929

At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford qualified to vote in Town affairs, held pursuant to Warrant duly posted, the meeting was held as directed at the Upper Town Hall, at Chelmsford Centre on Wednesday Evening March 20 1929 at 8 o'clock and the following business was transacted as follows:

Under Article #1 – In regards to the appropriation of Two Thousand Dollars or some other sum to be used by the police department for the protection of life and property, on a motion made by Selectman Rigby it was voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article #2 – Article one having been acted upon in the negative this article becomes automatically dismissed, regarding an additional regular police officer.

Under Article #3 – On a motion made by Selectman Rigby it was voted to rescind the action taken at the Special Town Meeting held June 6 1928 under Article 4, and that the money appropriated therefor be returned to the Excess and Deficiency Fund, excepting however that portion appropriated for legal services.

Article 4 under meeting held June 6 1928 pertained to the purchase of Silicia Park at North Chelmsford for playground

purposes.

Under Article #4 – In regards to appropriating Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars or some other sum for the purpose of purchasing supplies for fire truck #4, on a motion made by J. C. Monahan it was voted to dismiss this article.

Under Article #5 – On a motion made by Sidney Phipee, it was voted that the Moderator appoint a Committee of five to investigate the advisability of purchasing a certain tract of land with the buildings thereon, from Loren J. Ellsworth, on the northerly side of Main Street in that part of Chelmsford called West Chelmsford, for the purpose of establishing a fire house, said committee to make its report at the next Annual town meeting, the Moderator appointed the following Committee Archibald Cooke, Sidney Phipee, Willis MacComb, Herbert C. Swouter and Roger W. Boyd, Mr. Swouter declined to serve and the Moderator named James A. Grant in his Swouters place.

The meeting voted to adjourn at 8.25 P.M.

Walter Parham
Moderator

Agnes C. Pettirom
Clerk

Warrant for Special Town Meeting

At Upper Town Hall, Chelmsford Centre
Wednesday Evening August 7 1929

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, SS.
To John E. Johnson, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford.

Greeting:
In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Upper Town Hall, at Chelmsford Centre, on Wednesday, the seventh day of August, 1929, at eight o'clock in the evening then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Article #1 – To see if the Town will vote to accept from the J. Cushing Company an interest in the property formerly known as the Cushing Mill Pond, together with the right to use the dam and gates appurtenant thereto; or act in relation thereto.

Article #2. In the event of an affirmative vote under Article 1, to see if the Town will vote to appropriate and transfer from the Board of Health Aid Account a sum of money not exceeding Three Hundred Dollars for the purpose of rebuilding and repairing the dam and gates described in Article 1, and to clean the bed of the pond; or act in relation thereto.

Article #3 - To see if the Town will vote to accept Sherman Street as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report and plan duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article #4 - To see if the Town will vote to accept Beaulieu Street as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report and plan duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article #5 - To see if the Town will vote to accept Glen Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report and plan duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Article #6 - To see if the Town will vote to sell the land with the buildings thereon situated on the Southerly side of Mt. Pleasant Street in that part of Chelmsford called North Chelmsford; said land and buildings being formerly used to house fire apparatus; or act in relation thereto.

Article #7 - To see if the Town will vote to sell one White Automobile Bus, and one Federal Automobile Bus heretofore used for the transportation of school children; or act in relation thereto.

And You are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Office in the Center of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford and at the School House, East Chelmsford and at the Golden Cove School House, Westlands, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding

the meeting aforesaid.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this thirtieth day of July, in the year of our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-nine

George Rigby
Elphalet G. Brown
Frank J. Lupien
Selectmen of Chelmsford, Mass.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex S.S.

Pursuant to the Within Warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of the same at the Post Offices in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, West Chelmsford and at the School House at East Chelmsford and at the Golden Cove School House at the Westlands seven days before the date hereof, as within directed

John E. Johnson
Constable of Chelmsford

# Special Town Meeting

## August 7 1929

At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, qualified to vote in Town affairs, held pursuant to Warrant duly posted, the meeting was held at the Upper Town Hall on Aug. 7 1929 at 8 P. M. and the following business was transacted, to wit:

The meeting was called to order by Town Clerk Harold C. Pettirom, and the first matter to be taken up was the election of a temporary moderator.

On a motion made by George Rigby it was unanimously voted that Capt. John J. Monahan be elected temporary moderator, after qualifying Capt. Monahan proceeded with the business under the Warrant.

On a motion made by George Rigby it was voted to waive the reading of the Warrant by the Town Clerk.

Under Article #1 – On a motion made by Representative Edward J. Robbins, It was voted that the Town authorize the Board of Health to accept on behalf of the Town such an interest in the property of the Crosby Mill Pond and the appurtenances thereto, as the judgement and opinion of the Board of Health deems adequate for the purposes for which it is to be used, when approved by Town Counsel.

Article #2 – On a motion made by George A. McIntosh, It was voted to appropriate and transfer from the Board of Health's Aid account a sum of Three Hundred Dollars for the purpose of rebuilding and repairing the dam and gates at Cushing Mill Pond, so-called, and to clean the bed of said pond. The expenditure and supervision of the work to be done under the direction of the Board of Health.

Article #3 – On a motion made by George Rugby, It was voted to accept Sherman Street as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report and plan duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk.

Article #4 – On a motion made by Frank J. Lupien it was voted to accept Beaulieu Street as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report and plan duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk.

Article #5 – On a motion made by Elphalett G. Brown, it was voted to accept Glen Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen as shown by their report and plan duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk.

At this point of the meeting on a motion made by George Rugby it was unanimously voted to take up Article 7.

Article #7 – On a motion made by Edward B. Russell, it was voted to sell one White Automobile Bus, and One Federal

Automobile Bus, heretofore used for the transportation of school children. That said automobile busses shall be sold at public auction by a duly licensed auctioneer. That the School Committee shall be authorized and empowered to execute and deliver in behalf of the Town a good and sufficient bill of sale of same, and that the sum of $100.- be appropriated to defray the expense of the sale thereof.

Article #6 - A motion to dismiss this article was made by Robert W. Barris under Mr. Barris' motion it was voted not to dismiss this article.

On a motion made by George Rigby it was voted to sell the land with the buildings thereon situated on the Southerly side of Mt Pleasant Street in that part of Chelmsford called North Chelmsford formerly used to house fire apparatus. That said property shall be sold by a duly licensed auctioneer at public auction. That the Board of Selectmen shall be authorized and empowered to execute and deliver in behalf of the Town a good and sufficient Quitclaim Deed, and that $50 be appropriated to defray the expense of this sale.

Voted to adjourn this meeting at 9.15 P.M.

Harold C Pettigrew
Clerk

John J. Monahan
Moderator

Election officers appointed by the Selectmen to serve one year ending Aug. 1 1930

| OFFICE | NAME | PRE. | WHEN QUALIFIED | BEFORE WHOM |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Warden | Daniel Haley | 1 | Jan 28 1930 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | Harold H. Macdonald | 1 | Aug 20 1929 | Town Clerk |
| Asst. Warden | Walter McMahon | 1 | Feb 1 1930 | " " |
| Asst. Clerk | Aldigonde Peterson | 1 | Aug 28 1929 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | Annie C. Davis | 1 | Sept 7 1929 | Town Clerk |
| " | Edith A. Perham | 1 | Aug 24 1929 | Town Clerk |
| " | Bessie A. Perham | 1 | Aug 20 1929 | Town Clerk |
| " | Herbert L. Bishop | 1 | Aug 20 1929 | H.C. Sweeter J.P. |
| Warden | John Harrington | 2 | Aug 23 1929 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | Nellie Shawcross | 2 | Aug 21 1929 | J.H. Volinton N.P. |
| Asst. Warden | Mary K. Haley | 2 | | |
| Asst. Clerk | Ruth Robinson | 2 | Sept 7 1929 | Wm P. Picken N.P. |
| Inspector | Mary Rousseau | 2 | Aug 26 1929 | Town Clerk |
| " | Ella Nath | 2 | Sept 7 1929 | Wm P. Picken N.P. |
| " | Laura Shugrue | 2 | Aug 28 1929 | J.H. Volinton N.P. |
| " | Sarah Harrington | 2 | Aug 20 1929 | H.E. Sweeter J.P. |
| Warden | Bayard C. Hean | 3 | Feb 3 1930 | L.J. Ellinwood N.P. |
| Clerk | Loren J. Ellinwood | 3 | Aug 21 1929 | Town Clerk |
| Asst Warden | Lena Safford (Resigned) | 3 | Aug 21 1929 | Town Clerk |
| Asst Clerk | Catherine Piney | 3 | | |
| Inspector | Rita Anderson | 3 | Aug 23 1929 | L.J. Ellinwood N.P. |
| " | James Savage | 3 | Feb 3 1930 | " " " " |
| Asst Warden | Lottie Brown | 3 | Jan 16 1930 | L.J. Ellinwood N.P. |
| Warden | Harriet Reardon | 4 | Aug 24 1929 | Jas E. Brennan J.P. |
| Clerk | Birger Peterson | 4 | Aug 23 1929 | Town Clerk |
| Asst Warden | Lydia Barrie | 4 | Aug 26 1929 | " " |
| Asst Clerk | Lillian Fielding | 4 | Aug 20 1929 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | Charles Finnick | 4 | Aug 23 1929 | " " |
| " | Mary L. Brown | 4 | Aug 19 1929 | E.J. Pottinger N.P. |

| OFFICE | NAME | PRE. | WHEN Sworn | Before Whom |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Warden | John Scobrie | 5 | Aug 19 1929 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | Sidney Hupee | 5 | Aug 20 1929 | " " |
| Asst Warden | George L Waite | 5 | Aug 20 1929 | " " |
| Asst Clerk | Caroline Wright | 5 | Aug 22 1929 | Town Clerk |
| Inspector | John F. Parker | 5 | Sept 11 1929 | H C. Sweeter J P. |
| " | Ethel Wright | 5 | Feb 1 1930 | Town Clerk |
| Warden | George McIntosh | 6 | Aug 24 1929 | Town Clerk |
| Clerk | Eleanor Parker | 6 | Aug 26 1929 | " " |
| Asst Warden | Robert Anderson | 6 | Aug 20 1929 | H C Sweeter J P |
| Asst Clerk | Florie Walton | 6 | Aug 19 1929 | R. W Emerson J. P. |
| Inspector | Raymond Osborn | 6 | Aug 20 1929 | H C Sweeter J. P. |
| " | Adelaide Cook | 6 | Aug 22 1929 | " " " " |

## Warrant for Special Town Meeting

At Town Hall Chelmsford Centre, Friday Evening
September 27 1929

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, SS

To John E. Johnson, a Constable of the Town of Chelmsford,

Greeting!

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid you are hereby required to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the Town Hall, at Chelmsford Centre, on Friday, the Twenty seventh day of September, 1929, at eight o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

Article #1 To see if the Town will vote to transfer from the sum of money raised and appropriated under article 14 of the Warrant for the annual Town meeting, held February 13 1928, the sum Eight Hundred Dollars and fifty four Cents ($800.54) for the purpose of completing the construction of a Cement bridge on Bellevue Street and the approaches thereto; or act in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Offices in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, and West Chelmsford, and at the School House East Chelmsford, and at the Golden Rule School House, Westlands, seven days at least before the time appointed for the holding the meeting aforesaid

Thereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this eighteenth day of September in the year of our Lord Nineteen Hundred and Twenty Nine.

George Rigby
Elizabeth O. Brown
Frank J. Lupien
Selectmen of Chelmsford,
Massachusetts

Middlesex ss.

Pursuant to the within Warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants

of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of the same at the post office in the Centre of the Town, South Chelmsford, North Chelmsford, West Chelmsford and at the School House, at East Chelmsford and at the Golden Cove School House at the Wetlands seven days before the date hereof, as within directed.

John E. Johnson
Constable of Chelmsford

Special Town Meeting

Sept 27 1929

At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, qualified to vote in Town affairs, held pursuant to Warrant duly posted, the meeting was held at the Upper Town Hall on Sept. 27 1929 at 8 P.M. and the following business was transacted, viz:

The meeting was called to order by Moderator Walter Perham and the Warrant was read by Town Clerk Harold C. Pettison

Under Article #1 – On a motion made by George Rigby, it was voted, to transfer the sum of $800.00 from the appropriation made under Article 14 at the annual Town meeting in 1928 to a fund to be used for the purpose of completing the construction of a bridge on Bellerica Street, and the approaches thereto. Said article 14 pertaining to the construction of the Acton Rd so-called

Voted to adjourn the meeting at 8.10 P.M.

Walter Perham, Moderator  Harold C. Pettison, Town Clerk